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Preface

The 1981 edition of *Profile, North Carolina Counties* is the sixth in a series published by the Office of State Budget and Management. The *Profile* assembles in one document some major demographic, economic and social indicators at the county level which are available on an annual or other periodic basis. Data categories included in this edition cover population, area, per capita income, voter registration, labor force, employment, health indicators, new and expanded industry, agriculture, public assistance, corrections, highway mileage, motor vehicles, education enrollment, retail sales and sales and use tax. These indicators should assist researchers at all levels of government and the private sector in analyzing trend information on the county, planning-region, metropolitan and non-metropolitan basis, as well as the statewide level. It is our hope that the assembly of this information in one source document will minimize the resources required to analyze State and sub-state conditions and trends.

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Introduction

This edition of *Profile, North Carolina Counties* has four major divisions: (1) Rankings, (2) County Profiles, (3) Multi-County Planning Region Profiles, and (4) SMSA-NonSMSA Profiles. The SMSA-NonSMSA division is new and has been added to provide a comparison of the metropolitan versus the non-metropolitan portions of the State. To be included in the metropolitan portion, an area must be classified as a standard metropolitan statistical area (SMSA). Nineteen counties in North Carolina are classified as an SMSA or as part of an SMSA. These designations as well as the definition of a metropolitan area will be revised after release of the 1980 Census information. (See page 262 for current definitions and designations). The Rankings Division includes the rankings of several key indicators - population density, migration rate, per capita income, unemployment rate, percent of land in harvested and idle cropland, physicians per 10,000 population, 5 year infant death rate, and motor vehicle accidents per 1,000 population - for the counties and the planning regions. Users should be cautious when drawing conclusions concerning counties with small populations which may be subject to wide fluctuation in rates based on minor changes in conditions.

Data reflected in this document was the most current at the time the data base was developed. Concurrent with the final preparation of this document, 1979 labor force estimates with revisions back thru 1975, and 1979 per capita income estimates with revisions back thru 1977 were released. The State summary on page 18 reflects the current estimates and revisions. The county estimates and revisions are included in the insert which accompanies this document. In addition, the final population counts from the 1980 Census are included, as released under "Advance Reports, Final Population and Housing Unit Counts," PHC80-V-35. U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

In addition to the complete edition of the *Profile,* single county data sheets will be available upon request from the Office of State Budget and Management. All data published in the *Profile* are available in machine readable form for additional research and analysis. This will facilitate improved access to centralized data as well as provide for a more timely update to this publication.

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Data Sources and Descriptions

AGRICULTURE

Acres of Harvested and Idle Cropland - North Carolina Department of Agriculture, Division of Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, "North Carolina Land Utilization Survey." Cropland for the calendar year consists of land used for all row crops, close-grown field crops, rotation hay and pasture, hayland, conservation use only (excluding forest land), orchards, vineyards, bush fruit, open land formerly cropped, and temporarily idle land. NA indicates the absence of acreage information for a county when a farm census was either incomplete or unavailable and the county is not included in state, planning region, and SMSA-NonSMSA totals. Counties that are excluded from the state, planning region and SMSA-NonSMSA totals are: 1965-Buncombe, Caldwell, Gaston; 1966 and 1967-Buncombe; 1968-Buncombe, Gaston, Guilford; 1969-Gaston, Guilford; 1971-Forsyth; 1972-Catawba, Forsyth; 1973-Brunswick, Carteret, Catawba, Forsyth, Pamlico; 1974-Brunswick, Carteret, Gaston, Mecklenburg, Wake, Wayne; 1975-Brunswick, Pamlico; 1976-Caldwell; 1977-Buncombe, Caldwell, Person. The state total reflects revisions made to county totals and will not equal the summation of county data. Revised county totals are not published but may be obtained from the Crop and Livestock Reporting Service.

The percentage of total land area (as reflected in the 1967 land use study referenced on this page under AREA) that is utilized as harvested and idle cropland is ranked from high to low in the "Rankings" section of this publication.

Estimated Farm Income - North Carolina Department of Agriculture, Division of Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, *North Carolina Farm Income.* Prior to 1970, these estimates were prepared by the North Carolina Agricultural Extension Service of North Carolina State University. Farm income amounts for the calendar year are estimated income from tobacco, cotton, peanuts, corn, grains, potatoes, fruits and vegetables, greenhouse and nursery items, hay and other crops, livestock products, farm forests (after 1971), and government payments. Data shown for 1978 does not include government payments and will be revised with the release of 1979 data.

AREA

North Carolina State University, Department of Economics, "North Carolina Land Use Data," 1967.

CORRECTIONS

Prison Admissions - North Carolina Department of Correction, Division of Prisons, *State Correction Statistical Abstract.* These figures reflect the number of new admissions and probation revocations in the state prison system by county of conviction during a given calendar year. The state total includes those persons whose county of conviction is not reported.

Parole Population - North Carolina Department of Correction, Division of Adult Probation and Paroles, *State Correction Statistical Abstract.* These figures reflect the parole population by their county of supervision as of December 31 of each year. The statewide total includes the number of parolees whose county of supervision is not reported and those who have absconded; it does not reflect the number of parolees being supervised out-of-state.

Probation Population - North Carolina Department of Correction, Division of Adult Probation and Paroles. End of year stock population is shown for the years 1977-1979. Data for prior years is not strictly comparable but represent the best available data for historical reference.

Youth Services Schools Admissions - North Carolina Department of Human Resources, Division of Youth Services. The number of admissions in the calendar year, by county from which the referrals were made, to the five state-supported youth services schools are indicated by these figures. Children under the age of 16 years may be admitted to the schools for offenses ranging from failing to attend school to capital crimes. Although a court order is required for commitment of a child, the child is not a convicted criminal. At the age of 18, youth are no longer eligible for detention in the youth services schools.

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

Public Schools - North Carolina Department of Public Education, Division of Public Instruction. These figures represent the final annual enrollment in the state's public school system for the nine-month school year. Final annual enrollment is a cumulative total of students enrolled throughout the school year and is not adjusted to reflect withdrawals. Beginning in school year 1973-74 enrollment in kindergarten is included in these totals, in addition to grades one through twelve.

Community Colleges - North Carolina Department of Public Education, Division of Community Colleges. The fall quarter enrollment in curriculum and extension courses in the state Community College system is shown by enrollee's county of residence. The statewide total is a summation of county amounts and excludes enrollees from out-of-state.

Higher Education - The University of North Carolina, General Administration, *Statistical Abstract of Higher Education*. The number of students in each county enrolled during the fall term in North Carolina public and private institutions of higher learning is shown here. Statewide data does not equal the summation of county totals due to the inability to assign a home county to some students. Enrollment in private institutions may exclude some non-reporting institutions.

EMPLOYMENT

North Carolina Department of Commerce, Employment Security Commission, Bureau of Employment Security Research, *North Carolina Labor Force Estimates by County, Area and State.* Total employment is an estimate of the average annual number of jobs held, by place of work (i.e., the county or region in which the job is held), for all manufacturing and non-manufacturing industries as defined by the standard industrial classification system (SIC). These figures exclude agricultural employment, non-farm self-employed, domestic workers in private households and unpaid family workers. Statewide totals are estimated independent of county totals and may not equal the summation of county data.

HEALTH INDICATORS

Primary Care Physicians - The University of North Carolina, Health Services Research Center, *North Carolina Active Physicians, Volume 1.* Primary care physicians for purposes of this publication are defined as general practice, family practice, family medicine, internal medicine, pediatrics, gynecology, and obstetrics. The doctors included in this count are non-federal practicing physicians as licensed by the North Carolina Board of Medical Examiners as of September of each year. In the "Rankings" section of this publication, physicians per 10,000 population are ranked from high to low.

Hospital Beds - North Carolina Department of Human Resources, Division of Facility Services, *A Complete Listing of Hospitals, Non-Federal.* The number of hospital beds (by design) as of April 1 for the years 1965-1977 and as of August 1 for the years 1978-1979, for general and acute use, pediatrics, eye, ear, nose, and throat, rehabilitation and long-term care are included. The county total excludes beds provided for mental diseases, alcoholism and addiction, mental retardation, and pulmonary diseases. County totals also exclude state-supported hospitals except for North Carolina Memorial Hospital in Orange County which serves the general public in that area. The statewide total is a summation of county totals plus the state-supported hospitals and the beds described above which are excluded from the county total. Multi-county planning region totals reflect the summation of county totals within the respective regions.

Infant Deaths - North Carolina Department of Human Resources, Division of Health Services, State Center for Health Statistics, *North Carolina Vital Statistics.* An infant death is defined as death of a live born infant under one year of age. The infant death rate is defined as resident infant deaths per 1,000 resident live births for the calendar year. In the "Rankings" section, 5-year infant death rates are ranked from high to low.

HIGHWAY MILEAGE

North Carolina Department of Transportation, Division of Highways, *North Carolina Highway and Road Mileage*. Figures shown for primary and secondary roads as of January 1, 1979 include both paved and unpaved mileage. The state primary highway system is composed of all Interstate, U.S. and N.C. numbered highways. The state secondary road system is composed of all other state-maintained roads.

INDUSTRY - NEW AND EXPANDED

North Carolina Department of Commerce, Industrial Development Division. Investment amounts and the number of new employees are estimated and reported to the Department of Commerce at the time an industry announces location or expansion plans. The five-year cumulative totals shown include revisions made to the reported estimates. The statewide total is a summation of county totals.

LABOR FORCE

North Carolina Department of Commerce, Employment Security Commission, Bureau of Employment Security Research, *North Carolina Labor Force Estimates by County, Area, and State.* Labor force estimates represent the combined totals of the average annual employed and unemployed persons and have been adjusted to remove the effect of multiple job holding and the effect of commuting from one county (or planning region) to another. The unemployment rate is the ratio of the total number unemployed (not working but seeking work) to the number in the civilian labor force. The adjustment of commuters from the labor force total insures that the unemployment rates between areas are more comparable and are influenced only by the differences in the severity of unemployment. Unemployment rates for counties and planning regions are ranked from high to low in the "Rankings" section of this publication. Statewide totals have been revised for some years and may not equal the summation of county data.

MOTOR VEHICLES

Auto and Truck Registrations - North Carolina Department of Transportation, Division of Motor Vehicles, Registration Section. Included in the totals for the calendar year are registrations for automobiles and trucks by county in which the vehicles were registered. The statewide total is a summation of county amounts and excludes registrations for trailers, buses, motorcycles, dealers, transporters, driveaway and public-owned passenger vehicles, trucks and trailers.

Accidents, Persons Injured and Persons Killed - North Carolina Department of Transportation, Division of Motor Vehicles, Traffic Records Section, *North Carolina Traffic Accident Facts.* These figures represent the number of reportable accidents in each area for the calendar year. A reportable accident is one which involves injury, death, or property damage of $200 or more. The number of persons injured or killed is determined from the investigating officers' reports which are filed within 24 hours of the accident. Motor vehicle accidents per 1,000 persons are ranked from high to low in the "Rankings" section of this publication.

PER CAPITA INCOME

United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis. These income figures for the calendar year reflect private and government wage and salary payments in cash and in kind, other labor income, farm and non-farm proprietors' income, personal interest income, net rental income of persons, dividends, and transfer payments, less personal contributions for social insurance. Income is measured before the deduction of personal income and other personal taxes and is reported in current dollars (no adjustment is made for inflation). Per capita income amounts are ranked from high to low in the "Rankings" section of this publication.

POPULATION

Total Population - United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census. 1960 and 1970 population totals are actual census counts as of April 1 of the respective years. 1971 through 1978 estimates are as of July 1 and are prepared by the Census Bureau in cooperation with the North Carolina Office of State Budget and Management, Research and Planning Services. Population density (population per square mile) is ranked from high to low in the "Rankings" section, and is based on a 1967 land use study.

Migration - North Carolina Office of State Budget and Management, Research and Planning Services. All migration rates shown for 1970 through 1978 reflect annual or annualized rates of change. For 1970 the rate reflects the average annual rate of net migration for the period from April 1, 1960 to April 1, 1970. For 1971 the net migration rate reflects the annualized rate for the period from April 1, 1970 to July 1, 1971. For all other years an annual migration rate is shown and represents the period from July 1 of one year to July 1 of the next. In calculating average annual rates, it is assumed that population growth is compounded annually with the rates of natural increase and net migration being additive in any single year.

In the "Rankings" section of this publication, the net migration rate for the period April 1, 1970 to July 1, 1978 is ranked from high to low.

Natural Increase - North Carolina Office of State Budget and Management. Totals for 1970 reflect natural increase (births minus deaths) for the period April 1, 1960-April 1, 1970. The other years reflect the natural increase from July 1, to July 1 of each year with the exception of 1971, which is from April 1, 1970 to July 1, 1971.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

Aid to Families With Dependent Children (AFDC) - North Carolina Department of Human Resources, Division of Human Resources, Reports and Program Analysis Section. These figures represent the average monthly number of AFDC recipients for the fiscal year.

Aged, Disabled, and Blind - North Carolina Department of Human Resources, Division of Human Resources, Reports and Program Analysis Section; and the Social Security Administration. Large increases in the number of recipients after 1972-73 are a result of changes in eligibility requirements. On January 1, 1974 the Supplemental Security Income (SSI) program was implemented to replace the former federal grants made to the various states for Aid to the Aged, Disabled, and Blind. Administration of financial payments would now be the responsibility of the Social Security Administration. At the same time, North Carolina's State/County Special Assistance and Special Assistance for the Blind programs were created to prevent any persons from receiving less money under this new SSI program by providing supplementary payments to make up any deficits between the old amount and the new amount for all persons on the rolls on or after January 1, 1974.

Data for these three categories are unavailable for fiscal years 1973-74 and 1974-75. The number of persons receiving income assistance for the fiscal years 1975-76 through 1978-79 is a sum of the average number of persons receiving SSI in December and June of each fiscal year, and the average number of persons receiving only State/County Special Assistance or Special Assistance for the Blind in these same months.

RETAIL SALES

North Carolina Department of Revenue, Sales and Use Tax Division, "Analysis of State Sales and Use Tax Collections and Gross Retail Sales by Counties and Business Groups". Retail sales for the fiscal year represent total taxable and non-taxable sales as reported monthly on Sales and Use Tax Report Forms. The statewide summary includes foreign (outside North Carolina) amounts and will not equal the summation of county totals.

SALES AND USE TAX

North Carolina Department of Revenue, Sales and Use Tax Division, "Analysis of State Sales and Use Tax Collections and Gross Retail Sales by Counties and Business Groups." This amount represents total gross collections of state sales and use tax for the fiscal year and does not contain any county sales and use tax. The state total also includes the 2% use tax collected on motor vehicles and airplanes which is untabulated by county.

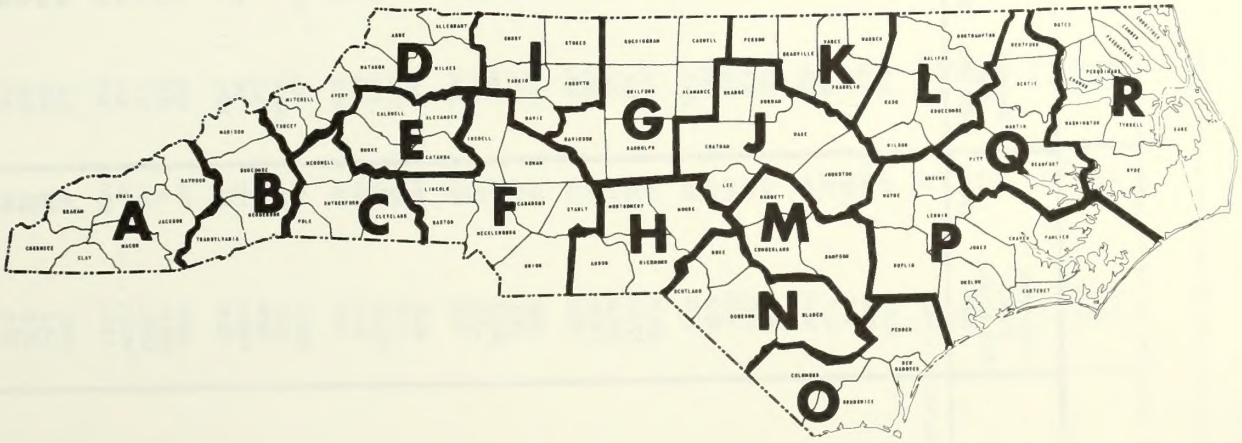
VOTER REGISTRATIONS

North Carolina State Board of Elections. These figures reflect the number of voter registrations as reported by county boards of election to the State Board of Elections as of October 1979.

Rankings

N.C. Counties

N.C. Multi-County Planning Regions



COUNTY RANKINGS
In Alphabetical Order - Ranked High to Low

County	Population Density (per sq. mi.) 1978	Rank	Migration Rate 1970-1978	Rank	Per Capita Income 1978	Rank	Rate of Unemploy-ment 1978	Rank	% of Land in Harvested and Idle Cropland 1977	Rank	Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population 1978	Rank	Infant Death Rate per 1,000 Population 1975-1979	Rank	Motor Vehicle Accidents per 1,000 Population 1978	Rank
NORTH CAROLINA	114.3		3.0%		$6,693		4.3%		18.4%		5.6		16.7		28.0	
Alamance	231.3	11	-1.8	86	6,671	23	4.5	55	23.1	31	4.9	32	14.6	74	25.2	41
Alexander	88.6	43	8.2	23	6,183	43	5.6	22	10.4	70	2.7	72	13.7	77	25.4	40
Alleghany	38.7	83	6.9	27	5,136	76	3.8	81	12.9	64	4.5	38	13.1	88	14.0	98
Anson	45.1	74	-3.5	92	6,152	46	4.1	70	15.7	56	2.1	83	20.0	20	23.0	52
Ashe	48.7	71	2.5	55	5,283	73	4.1	70	8.6	75	2.9	68	13.7	77	22.8	55
Avery	57.2	63	6.2	28	4,086	100	5.0	39	2.6	92	7.8	5	15.1	68	30.3	16
Beaufort	48.2	72	6.2	28	5,866	54	4.2	65	23.7	29	4.3	39	21.7	11	23.0	52
Bertie	30.6	89	-0.6	82	5,344	70	6.1	11	20.4	40	1.9	88	26.8	2	19.9	76
Bladen	33.2	88	4.4	39	4,734	89	5.3	31	15.2	58	2.4	80	19.0	28	20.2	75
Brunswick	37.6	85	24.7	3	5,071	81	6.1	11	6.7	80	3.4	64	16.4	50	19.9	76
Buncombe	239.9	10	3.4	48	6,725	21	3.7	83	NA	-	7.1	11	15.7	59	31.6	12
Burke	127.2	28	-0.3	79	6,606	26	4.3	61	5.6	84	7.5	6	14.4	75	26.5	35
Cabarrus	222.2	12	2.2	59	6,881	13	3.0	97	23.5	30	3.8	51	12.0	90	28.3	25
Caldwell	128.6	27	-0.2	78	6,435	33	3.7	83	NA	-	3.6	57	15.8	57	35.4	4
Camden	24.3	94	3.4	48	5,459	67	4.6	52	28.9	19	1.7	91	16.1	53	22.6	57
Carteret	70.5	52	11.2	14	5,939	51	5.6	22	6.1	83	3.5	59	20.5	16	27.4	30
Caswell	44.7	76	-2.8	90	4,832	86	5.2	33	21.4	37	0.5	99	22.6	7	27.0	34
Catawba	255.9	9	3.8	43	7,326	7	6.6	8	21.1	39	5.8	24	14.7	70	34.2	6
Chatham	44.2	77	1.4	63	6,839	15	4.7	50	9.6	73	1.9	88	13.3	85	27.6	29
Cherokee	39.0	82	3.6	45	4,313	96	5.5	25	3.2	90	5.7	25	14.7	70	21.0	70
Chowan	67.6	55	7.9	25	5,702	62	3.9	78	34.8	12	7.4	7	19.3	24	19.1	82
Clay	27.6	92	10.2	17	4,640	92	5.2	33	4.1	86	5.1	31	8.2	99	18.6	84
Cleveland	168.2	16	1.0	67	6,381	37	4.9	42	22.6	34	5.2	27	22.1	9	28.4	24
Columbus	55.0	64	3.6	45	4,916	84	5.1	37	21.3	38	2.5	77	18.2	35	21.1	69
Craven	95.3	39	-3.8	95	6,205	41	4.0	75	15.1	60	3.9	48	17.4	42	18.1	88
Cumberland	355.5	7	-5.2	100	5,784	58	5.4	28	19.6	42	2.9	68	16.2	52	22.1	64
Currituck	39.6	81	49.5	2	4,897	85	3.9	78	22.4	35	0.9	97	12.7	89	25.1	42
Dare	28.0	91	51.1	1	6,101	48	4.5	55	0.2	97	3.7	54	18.4	34	32.4	10
Davidson	190.4	13	1.4	63	6,913	12	3.2	93	19.2	43	3.5	59	13.4	82	30.7	15
Davie	85.4	45	13.1	10	6,473	30	4.1	70	23.0	33	2.7	72	8.1	100	15.7	96
Duplin	48.8	70	-0.1	75	5,730	61	4.5	55	28.5	21	2.7	72	14.7	70	21.9	66
Durham	484.5	4	3.1	51	7,623	5	3.5	89	10.2	71	18.8	2	15.8	57	35.3	3
Edgecombe	109.0	33	-0.1	75	6,427	34	5.9	17	38.7	6	2.7	72	15.7	59	18.3	86
Forsyth	549.9	2	2.4	56	8,304	3	3.8	81	14.0	63	10.1	3	16.1	53	32.1	11
Franklin	57.5	62	2.8	53	5,407	68	5.0	39	25.7	28	2.5	77	17.2	43	20.4	73
Gaston	439.5	6	-2.2	87	6,548	27	3.6	86	17.3	50	3.5	59	17.1	46	30.2	17
Gates	24.2	95	-4.3	98	6,667	24	3.7	83	19.2	43	1.2	94	13.6	80	22.1	64
Graham	24.1	96	0.2	73	4,684	91	7.6	3	1.5	96	7.2	8	9.4	97	16.8	92
Granville	60.8	59	-3.9	96	5,841	57	5.6	22	16.5	52	5.2	27	17.5	40	19.7	78
Greene	57.7	61	-1.6	85	7,116	9	6.3	10	45.3	2	0.6	98	23.9	5	20.7	71
Guilford	475.9	5	0.7	69	8,344	2	4.1	70	17.9	49	6.8	15	15.2	66	35.3	3
Halifax	77.9	49	-3.6	93	4,981	82	6.1	11	27.9	22	3.6	57	25.7	3	22.3	61
Harnett	92.4	40	4.5	37	5,094	79	6.0	15	26.4	26	2.7	72	14.7	70	24.1	46
Haywood	81.8	47	2.6	54	6,157	44	3.5	89	3.3	89	5.9	22	13.4	82	22.6	57
Henderson	136.1	24	17.9	5	7,197	8	3.2	93	12.3	65	7.2	8	16.3	51	31.3	13

Hertford	69.7	53	-3.9	56	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	21.6	13	19.8	79
Hoke	49.4	69	2.3	58	4,142	98	9.3	2	26.2	27	1.6	92	21.6	13	19.8	79
Hyde	9.0	100	0.2	73	4,421	94	7.3	4	16.4	53	1.8	90	24.2	4	13.4	99
Iredell	138.4	23	4.5	37	6,450	32	5.1	37	18.1	48	5.2	27	19.1	26	29.1	21
Jackson	50.1	68	10.2	17	4,757	87	3.6	86	2.0	95	6.9	14	20.4	17	16.3	94
Johnston	84.8	46	4.1	41	6,157	44	4.8	48	36.0	11	3.3	65	15.0	69	27.1	33
Jones	20.9	97	-5.0	99	5,104	78	5.2	33	17.0	51	4.1	43	17.0	47	27.9	27
Lee	138.8	22	8.5	22	6,625	25	4.9	42	15.3	57	6.0	21	18.2	35	30.8	14
Lenoir	153.1	20	0.7	69	6,331	38	5.7	19	39.5	5	4.9	32	16.6	48	27.4	30
Lincoln	129.7	26	11.9	11	6,516	29	5.8	18	29.4	18	3.9	48	19.6	21	25.8	38
McDowell	77.2	50	4.4	39	5,936	52	4.2	65	4.7	85	4.1	43	17.8	39	28.9	22
Macon	37.4	86	20.6	4	5,131	77	4.3	61	3.2	90	5.7	25	14.4	75	12.3	100
Madison	38.1	84	6.0	30	4,378	95	2.8	100	6.8	79	5.2	27	15.5	62	16.7	93
Martin	53.1	66	-2.2	87	6,014	49	5.7	19	26.7	24	4.7	36	21.8	10	23.5	48
Mecklenburg	732.0	1	0.3	72	8,499	1	3.2	93	9.1	74	6.2	18	17.2	43	38.0	1
Mitchell	64.6	56	2.4	56	5,315	72	4.9	42	6.6	81	4.3	39	10.7	92	15.9	95
Montgomery	40.4	79	-3.0	91	6,310	39	5.5	25	7.1	77	2.5	77	18.7	31	23.6	47
Moore	63.4	58	9.5	19	6,823	16	4.4	59	10.6	69	4.9	32	19.2	25	23.0	52
Nash	122.3	31	8.0	24	6,410	35	4.5	55	32.2	14	5.9	22	19.5	23	30.2	17
New Hanover	496.0	3	8.8	21	6,728	20	4.9	42	3.5	88	7.1	11	15.5	62	32.9	9
Northampton	44.2	77	-2.4	89	4,726	90	5.0	39	32.9	13	3.0	66	29.4	1	19.3	80
Onslow	157.0	19	-3.6	93	5,698	63	5.4	28	10.7	68	2.0	85	15.7	59	20.6	72
Orange	171.5	15	11.2	14	6,770	19	3.0	97	15.0	61	38.1	1	16.6	48	25.6	39
Pamlico	29.9	90	2.2	59	5,339	71	6.9	6	16.2	54	3.0	66	10.5	94	18.0	89
Pasquotank	125.0	29	2.2	59	5,533	65	4.2	65	37.4	8	7.0	13	22.3	8	25.1	42
Pender	25.6	93	15.1	7	4,740	88	5.4	28	11.0	67	1.4	93	19.6	21	22.4	60
Perquimans	34.6	87	6.0	30	5,361	69	4.1	70	37.0	9	2.2	81	9.4	97	19.3	80
Person	69.2	54	-0.8	84	5,864	55	5.3	31	NA	-	2.2	81	18.6	32	26.2	37
Pitt	124.1	30	3.1	51	6,127	47	4.4	59	41.4	3	7.2	8	18.9	29	27.7	28
Polk	53.7	65	7.4	26	7,343	6	3.5	89	7.1	77	8.0	4	13.4	82	23.3	50
Randolph	106.0	34	4.9	35	6,992	10	3.1	96	15.8	55	2.8	70	13.7	77	25.1	42
Richmond	89.4	42	0.8	68	5,756	60	4.3	61	12.1	66	2.1	83	16.1	53	23.4	49
Robeson	100.3	37	-0.3	79	4,956	83	6.6	8	37.5	7	4.0	45	18.6	32	24.8	45
Rockingham	135.4	25	1.1	66	6,854	14	4.9	42	18.4	46	3.8	51	21.1	14	29.8	20
Rowan	186.7	14	0.7	69	6,545	28	3.6	86	28.6	20	4.0	45	10.2	96	26.3	36
Rutherford	91.5	41	4.1	41	5,850	56	4.8	48	10.0	72	3.7	54	18.1	38	23.1	51
Sampson	50.9	67	3.8	43	5,514	66	4.6	52	30.7	17	3.5	59	21.1	14	21.2	67
Scotland	96.8	38	3.5	47	5,546	64	4.2	65	26.9	23	4.3	39	17.5	40	21.2	67
Stanly	114.3	32	1.9	62	6,678	22	4.6	52	26.5	25	4.2	42	15.3	64	22.7	56
Stokes	64.6	56	17.3	6	5,763	59	5.7	19	18.5	45	2.0	85	17.2	43	18.3	86
Surry	104.5	35	3.2	50	6,410	35	5.2	33	19.9	41	3.9	48	16.1	53	30.0	19
Swain	19.7	98	11.7	12	5,203	74	6.7	7	2.6	92	3.8	51	21.7	11	14.2	97
Transylvania	58.1	60	5.6	33	5,949	50	4.3	61	2.2	94	6.4	17	12.0	90	22.2	63
Tyrrell	10.1	99	4.9	35	4,505	93	9.9	1	15.2	58	0.0	100	13.2	86	20.4	73
Union	101.6	36	10.4	16	6,816	17	3.4	92	31.1	15	2.8	70	15.3	64	22.6	57
Vance	139.5	21	-0.3	79	5,927	53	5.5	25	22.2	36	3.5	59	18.9	29	28.6	23
Wake	322.1	8	13.8	9	7,987	4	2.9	99	18.2	47	6.5	16	15.2	66	34.8	5
Warren	39.9	80	9.4	20	4,184	97	7.2	5	14.4	62	1.2	94	18.2	35	16.9	91
Washington	44.8	75	-0.1	75	6,217	40	4.7	50	37.0	9	4.0	45	20.2	18	17.4	90
Watauga	87.9	44	14.1	8	5,202	75	4.0	75	6.4	82	6.1	20	10.5	94	33.1	8
Wayne	167.4	17	-0.6	82	6,185	42	4.2	65	48.9	1	3.7	54	19.1	26	28.1	26
Wilkes	73.2	51	5.7	32	6,463	31	3.9	78	7.8	76	2.0	85	13.2	86	27.3	32
Wilson	164.4	18	1.2	65	6,937	11	6.1	11	39.7	4	4.6	37	20.2	18	33.9	7
Yadkin	80.8	48	5.2	34	6,783	18	4.9	42	30.8	16	1.1	96	13.5	81	19.1	82
Yancey	47.0	73	11.5	13	4,089	99	4.0	75	4.0	87	6.2	18	10.7	92	18.6	84

NOTE: Counties that are tied will have the same rank number.

NA - Not Available

COUNTY RANKINGS

In Rank Order - Ranked High to Low

Population Density (per sq. mi.), 1978

Rank	County	Density
1	Mecklenburg	732.0
2	Forsyth	549.9
3	New Hanover	496.0
4	Durham	484.5
5	Guilford	475.9
6	Gaston	439.5
7	Cumberland	355.5
8	Wake	322.1
9	Catawba	255.9
10	Buncombe	239.9
11	Alamance	231.3
12	Cabarrus	222.2
13	Davidson	190.4
14	Rowan	186.7
15	Orange	171.5
16	Cleveland	168.2
17	Wayne	167.5
18	Wilson	164.4
19	Onslow	157.0
20	Lenoir	153.1
21	Vance	139.5
22	Lee	138.8
23	Iredell	138.4
24	Henderson	136.1
25	Rockingham	135.4
26	Lincoln	129.7
27	Caldwell	128.6
28	Burke	127.2
29	Pasquotank	125.0
30	Pitt	124.1
31	Nash	122.3
	NORTH CAROLINA	**114.3**
32	Stanly	114.3
33	Edgecombe	109.0
34	Randolph	106.0
35	Surry	104.5
36	Union	101.6
37	Robeson	100.3
38	Scotland	96.8
39	Craven	95.3
40	Harnett	92.4
41	Rutherford	91.5
42	Richmond	89.4
43	Alexander	88.6
44	Watauga	87.9
45	Davie	85.4

Migration Rate, 1970-1978

Rank	County	Rate
1	Dare	51.1%
2	Currituck	49.5
3	Brunswick	24.7
4	Macon	20.6
5	Henderson	17.9
6	Stokes	17.3
7	Pender	15.1
8	Watauga	14.1
9	Wake	13.8
10	Davie	13.1
11	Lincoln	11.9
12	Swain	11.7
13	Yancey	11.5
14	Orange	11.2
	Carteret	11.2
16	Union	10.4
17	Clay	10.2
	Jackson	10.2
19	Moore	9.5
20	Warren	9.4
21	New Hanover	8.8
22	Lee	8.5
23	Alexander	8.2
24	Nash	8.0
25	Chowan	7.9
26	Polk	7.4
27	Alleghany	6.9
28	Beaufort	6.2
	Avery	6.2
30	Perquimans	6.0
	Madison	6.0
32	Wilkes	5.7
33	Transylvania	5.6
34	Yadkin	5.2
35	Randolph	4.9
	Tyrrell	4.9
37	Iredell	4.5
	Harnett	4.5
39	Bladen	4.4
	McDowell	4.4
41	Johnston	4.1
	Rutherford	4.1
43	Sampson	3.8
	Catawba	3.8
45	Cherokee	3.6
	Columbus	3.6
47	Scotland	3.5
48	Buncombe	3.4

Per Capita Income, 1978

Rank	County	Amount
1	Mecklenburg	$ 8,499
2	Guilford	8,344
3	Forsyth	8,304
4	Wake	7,987
5	Durham	7,623
6	Polk	7,343
7	Catawba	7,326
8	Henderson	7,187
9	Greene	7,116
10	Randolph	6,992
11	Wilson	6,937
12	Davidson	6,913
13	Cabarrus	6,881
14	Rockingham	6,854
15	Chatham	6,839
16	Moore	6,823
17	Union	6,816
18	Yadkin	6,783
19	Orange	6,770
20	New Hanover	6,728
21	Buncombe	6,725
	NORTH CAROLINA	**6,693**
22	Stanly	6,678
23	Alamance	6,671
24	Gates	6,667
25	Lee	6,625
26	Burke	6,606
27	Gaston	6,548
28	Rowan	6,545
29	Lincoln	6,516
30	Davie	6,473
31	Wilkes	6,463
32	Iredell	6,450
33	Caldwell	6,435
34	Edgecombe	6,427
35	Nash	6,410
	Surry	6,410
37	Cleveland	6,381
38	Lenoir	6,331
39	Montgomery	6,310
40	Washington	6,217
41	Craven	6,205
42	Wayne	6,185
43	Alexander	6,183
44	Johnston	6,157
45	Anson	6,155
	Pitt	6,127
		6,101

46	Johnston	84.8
47	Haywood	81.8
48	Yadkin	80.8
49	Halifax	77.9
50	McDowell	77.2
51	Wilkes	73.2
52	Carteret	70.5
53	Hertford	69.7
54	Person	69.2
55	Chowan	67.6
56	Stokes	64.6
	Mitchell	64.6
58	Moore	63.4
59	Granville	60.8
60	Transylvania	58.1
61	Greene	57.7
62	Franklin	57.5
63	Avery	57.2
64	Columbus	55.0
65	Polk	53.7
66	Martin	53.1
67	Sampson	50.9
68	Jackson	50.1
69	Hoke	49.4
70	Duplin	48.8
71	Ashe	48.7
72	Beaufort	48.2
73	Yancey	47.0
74	Anson	45.1
75	Washington	44.8
76	Caswell	44.7
77	Northampton	44.2
	Chatham	44.2
79	Montgomery	40.4
80	Warren	39.9
81	Currituck	39.6
82	Cherokee	39.0
83	Alleghany	38.7
84	Madison	38.1
85	Brunswick	37.6
86	Macon	37.4
87	Perquimans	34.6
88	Bladen	33.2
89	Bertie	30.6
90	Pamlico	29.9
91	Dare	28.0
92	Clay	27.6
93	Pender	25.6
94	Camden	24.3
95	Gates	24.2
96	Graham	24.1
97	Jones	20.9
98	Swain	19.7
99	Tyrrell	10.1
100	Hyde	9.0

50	Surry	3.2
51	Durham	3.1
	Pitt	3.1
	NORTH CAROLINA	**3.0**
53	Franklin	2.8
54	Haywood	2.6
55	Ashe	2.5
56	Mitchell	2.4
	Forsyth	2.4
58	Hoke	2.3
59	Pasquotank	2.2
	Pamlico	2.2
	Cabarrus	2.2
62	Stanly	1.9
63	Davidson	1.4
	Chatham	1.4
65	Wilson	1.2
66	Rockingham	1.1
67	Cleveland	1.0
68	Richmond	0.8
69	Lenoir	0.7
	Rowan	0.7
	Guilford	0.7
72	Mecklenburg	0.3
73	Graham	0.2
	Hyde	0.2
75	Washington	-0.1
	Edgecombe	-0.1
	Duplin	-0.1
78	Caldwell	-0.2
79	Burke	-0.3
	Vance	-0.3
	Robeson	-0.3
82	Bertie	-0.6
	Wayne	-0.6
84	Person	-0.8
85	Greene	-1.6
86	Alamance	-1.8
87	Martin	-2.2
	Gaston	-2.2
89	Northampton	-2.4
90	Caswell	-2.8
91	Montgomery	-3.0
92	Anson	-3.5
93	Onslow	-3.6
	Halifax	-3.6
95	Craven	-3.8
96	Hertford	-3.9
	Granville	-3.9
98	Gates	-4.3
99	Jones	-5.0
100	Cumberland	-5.2

46	Anson	6,152
	Pitt	6,127
48	Dare	6,101
49	Martin	6,014
50	Transylvania	5,949
51	Carteret	5,939
52	McDowell	5,936
53	Vance	5,927
54	Beaufort	5,866
55	Person	5,864
56	Rutherford	5,850
57	Granville	5,841
58	Cumberland	5,784
59	Stokes	5,763
60	Richmond	5,756
61	Duplin	5,730
62	Chowan	5,702
63	Onslow	5,698
64	Scotland	5,546
65	Pasquotank	5,533
66	Sampson	5,514
67	Camden	5,459
68	Franklin	5,407
69	Perquimans	5,361
70	Bertie	5,344
71	Pamlico	5,339
72	Mitchell	5,315
73	Ashe	5,283
74	Swain	5,203
75	Watauga	5,202
76	Alleghany	5,136
77	Macon	5,131
78	Jones	5,104
79	Harnett	5,094
80	Hertford	5,080
81	Brunswick	5,071
82	Halifax	4,981
83	Robeson	4,956
84	Columbus	4,916
85	Currituck	4,897
86	Caswell	4,832
87	Jackson	4,757
88	Pender	4,740
89	Bladen	4,734
90	Northampton	4,726
91	Graham	4,684
92	Clay	4,640
93	Tyrrell	4,505
94	Hyde	4,421
95	Madison	4,378
96	Cherokee	4,313
97	Warren	4,184
98	Hoke	4,142
99	Yancey	4,089
100	Avery	4,086

COUNTY RANKINGS - CONTINUED
In Rank Order - Ranked High to Low

Rate of Unemployment, 1978

Rank	County	Rate
1	Tyrrell	9.9%
2	Hoke	9.3
3	Graham	7.6
4	Hyde	7.3
5	Warren	7.2
6	Pamlico	6.9
7	Swain	6.7
8	Catawba	6.6
	Robeson	6.6
10	Greene	6.3
11	Wilson	6.1
	Bertie	6.1
	Brunswick	6.1
	Halifax	6.1
15	Harnett	6.0
	Hertford	6.0
17	Edgecombe	5.9
18	Lincoln	5.8
19	Lenoir	5.7
	Martin	5.7
	Stokes	5.7
22	Alexander	5.6
	Carteret	5.6
	Granville	5.6
25	Montgomery	5.5
	Vance	5.5
	Cherokee	5.5
28	Cumberland	5.4
	Onslow	5.4
	Pender	5.4
31	Person	5.3
	Bladen	5.3
33	Surry	5.2
	Jones	5.2
	Caswell	5.2
	Clay	5.2
37	Iredell	5.1
	Columbus	5.1
39	Franklin	5.0
	Northampton	5.0
	Avery	5.0
42	Rockingham	4.9
	Yadkin	4.9
	New Hanover	4.9
	Lee	4.9
	Cleveland	4.9
	Mitchell	4.9

Percent of Land in Harvested and Idle Cropland, 1977

Rank	County	Percent
1	Wayne	48.9%
2	Greene	45.3
3	Pitt	41.4
4	Wilson	39.7
5	Lenoir	39.5
6	Edgecombe	38.7
7	Robeson	37.5
8	Pasquotank	37.4
9	Perquimans	37.0
	Washington	37.0
11	Johnston	36.0
12	Chowan	34.8
13	Northampton	32.9
14	Nash	32.2
15	Union	31.1
16	Yadkin	30.8
17	Sampson	30.7
18	Lincoln	29.4
19	Camden	28.9
20	Rowan	28.6
21	Duplin	28.5
22	Halifax	27.9
23	Scotland	26.9
24	Martin	26.7
25	Stanly	26.5
26	Harnett	26.4
27	Hoke	26.2
28	Franklin	25.7
29	Beaufort	23.7
30	Cabarrus	23.5
31	Hertford	23.1
	Alamance	23.1
33	Davie	23.0
34	Cleveland	22.6
35	Currituck	22.4
36	Vance	22.2
37	Caswell	21.4
38	Columbus	21.3
39	Catawba	21.1
40	Bertie	20.4
41	Surry	19.9
42	Cumberland	19.6
43	Davidson	19.2
	Gates	19.2
45	Stokes	18.5
	NORTH CAROLINA	18.4
	Rockingham	18.3

Primary Care Physicians per 10,000 Population, 1978

Rank	County	Number
1	Orange	38.1
2	Durham	18.8
3	Forsyth	10.1
4	Polk	8.0
5	Avery	7.8
6	Burke	7.5
7	Chowan	7.4
8	Graham	7.2
	Pitt	7.2
	Henderson	7.2
11	Buncombe	7.1
	New Hanover	7.1
13	Pasquotank	7.0
14	Jackson	6.9
15	Guilford	6.8
16	Wake	6.5
17	Transylvania	6.4
18	Mecklenburg	6.2
	Yancey	6.2
20	Watauga	6.1
21	Lee	6.0
22	Nash	5.9
	Haywood	5.9
24	Catawba	5.8
25	Macon	5.7
	Cherokee	5.7
	NORTH CAROLINA	5.6
27	Cleveland	5.2
	Madison	5.2
	Granville	5.2
	Iredell	5.2
31	Clay	5.1
32	Moore	4.9
	Lenoir	4.9
	Hertford	4.9
	Alamance	4.9
36	Martin	4.7
37	Wilson	4.6
38	Alleghany	4.5
39	Beaufort	4.3
	Scotland	4.3
	Mitchell	4.3
42	Stanly	4.2
43	McDowell	4.1
	Jones	4.1
	Robeson	4.0
	Washington	4.0

48	Johnston	4.8
	Rutherford	4.8
50	Chatham	4.7
	Washington	4.7
52	Stanly	4.6
	Sampson	4.6
	Camden	4.6
55	Alamance	4.5
	Nash	4.5
	Dare	4.5
	Duplin	4.5
59	Moore	4.4
	Pitt	4.4
	NORTH CAROLINA	**4.3**
61	Burke	4.3
	Transylvania	4.3
	Richmond	4.3
	Macon	4.3
65	Wayne	4.2
	McDowell	4.2
	Beaufort	4.2
	Scotland	4.2
	Pasquotank	4.2
70	Guilford	4.1
	Davie	4.1
	Anson	4.1
	Perquimans	4.1
	Ashe	4.1
75	Craven	4.0
	Watauga	4.0
	Yancey	4.0
78	Wilkes	3.9
	Chowan	3.9
	Currituck	3.9
81	Forsyth	3.8
	Alleghany	3.8
83	Buncombe	3.7
	Gates	3.7
	Caldwell	3.7
86	Gaston	3.6
	Rowan	3.6
	Jackson	3.6
89	Durham	3.5
	Polk	3.5
	Haywood	3.5
92	Union	3.4
93	Mecklenburg	3.2
	Henderson	3.2
	Davidson	3.2
96	Randolph	3.1
97	Cabarrus	3.0
	Orange	3.0
99	Wake	2.9
100	Madison	2.8

46	Rockingham	18.4
47	Wake	18.2
48	Iredell	18.1
49	Guilford	17.9
50	Gaston	17.3
51	Jones	17.0
52	Granville	16.5
53	Hyde	16.4
54	Pamlico	16.2
55	Randolph	15.8
56	Anson	15.7
57	Lee	15.3
58	Tyrrell	15.2
	Bladen	15.2
60	Craven	15.1
61	Orange	15.0
62	Warren	14.4
63	Forsyth	14.0
64	Alleghany	12.9
65	Henderson	12.3
66	Richmond	12.1
67	Pender	11.0
68	Onslow	10.7
69	Moore	10.6
70	Alexander	10.4
71	Durham	10.2
72	Rutherford	10.0
73	Chatham	9.6
74	Mecklenburg	9.1
75	Ashe	8.6
76	Wilkes	7.8
77	Montgomery	7.1
	Polk	7.1
79	Madison	6.8
80	Brunswick	6.7
81	Mitchell	6.6
82	Watauga	6.4
83	Carteret	6.1
84	Burke	5.6
85	McDowell	4.7
86	Clay	4.1
87	Yancey	4.0
88	New Hanover	3.5
89	Haywood	3.3
90	Cherokee	3.2
	Macon	3.2
92	Avery	2.6
	Swain	2.6
94	Transylvania	2.2
95	Jackson	2.0
96	Graham	1.5
97	Dare	0.2
98	Person	NA
	Buncombe	NA
	Caldwell	NA

45	Rowan	4.0
	Robeson	4.0
	Washington	4.0
48	Craven	3.9
	Surry	3.9
	Lincoln	3.9
51	Swain	3.8
	Rockingham	3.8
	Cabarrus	3.8
54	Dare	3.7
	Rutherford	3.7
	Wayne	3.7
57	Halifax	3.6
	Caldwell	3.6
59	Gaston	3.5
	Davidson	3.5
	Carteret	3.5
	Sampson	3.5
	Vance	3.5
64	Brunswick	3.4
65	Johnston	3.3
66	Pamlico	3.0
	Northampton	3.0
68	Ashe	2.9
	Cumberland	2.9
70	Randolph	2.8
	Union	2.8
72	Duplin	2.7
	Edgecombe	2.7
	Harnett	2.7
	Davie	2.7
	Alexander	2.7
77	Montgomery	2.5
	Columbus	2.5
	Franklin	2.5
80	Bladen	2.4
81	Perquimans	2.2
	Person	2.2
83	Richmond	2.1
	Anson	2.1
85	Stokes	2.0
	Onslow	2.0
	Wilkes	2.0
88	Chatham	1.9
	Bertie	1.9
90	Hyde	1.8
91	Camden	1.7
92	Hoke	1.6
93	Pender	1.4
94	Gates	1.2
	Warren	1.2
96	Yadkin	1.1
97	Currituck	0.9
98	Greene	0.6
99	Caswell	0.5
100	Tyrrell	0.0

NA - Not Available

COUNTY RANKINGS - CONTINUED
In Rank Order - Ranked High to Low

Infant Death Rate (per 1,000 Live Births), 1975-1979

Rank	County	Rate
1	Northampton	29.4
2	Bertie	26.8
3	Halifax	25.7
4	Hyde	24.2
5	Greene	23.9
6	Hertford	23.4
7	Caswell	22.6
8	Pasquotank	22.3
9	Cleveland	22.1
10	Martin	21.8
11	Beaufort	21.7
	Swain	21.7
13	Hoke	21.6
14	Sampson	21.1
	Rockingham	21.1
16	Carteret	20.5
17	Jackson	20.4
18	Wilson	20.2
	Washington	20.2
20	Anson	20.0
21	Pender	19.6
	Lincoln	19.6
23	Nash	19.5
24	Chowan	19.3
25	Moore	19.2
26	Iredell	19.1
	Wayne	19.1
28	Bladen	19.0
29	Pitt	18.9
	Vance	18.9
31	Montgomery	18.7
32	Person	18.6
	Robeson	18.6
34	Dare	18.4
35	Columbus	18.2
	Warren	18.2
	Lee	18.2
38	Rutherford	18.1
39	McDowell	17.8
40	Granville	17.5
	Scotland	17.5
42	Craven	17.4
43	Mecklenburg	17.2
	Stokes	17.2
	Franklin	17.2
46	Gaston	17.1
47	Jones	17.0

Motor Vehicle Accidents per 1,000 Population, 1978

Rank	County	Rate
1	Mecklenburg	38.0
2	Caldwell	35.4
3	Guilford	35.3
	Durham	35.3
5	Wake	34.8
6	Catawba	34.2
7	Wilson	33.9
8	Watauga	33.1
9	New Hanover	32.9
10	Dare	32.4
11	Forsyth	32.1
12	Buncombe	31.6
13	Henderson	31.3
14	Lee	30.8
15	Davidson	30.7
16	Avery	30.3
17	Gaston	30.2
	Nash	30.2
19	Surry	30.0
20	Rockingham	29.8
21	Iredell	29.1
22	McDowell	28.9
23	Vance	28.6
24	Cleveland	28.4
25	Cabarrus	28.3
26	Wayne	28.1
	NORTH CAROLINA	**28.0**
27	Jones	27.9
28	Pitt	27.7
29	Chatham	27.6
30	Carteret	27.4
	Lenoir	27.4
32	Wilkes	27.3
33	Johnston	27.1
34	Caswell	27.0
35	Burke	26.5
36	Rowan	26.3
37	Person	26.2
38	Lincoln	25.8
39	Orange	25.6
40	Alexander	25.4
41	Alamance	25.2
42	Pasquotank	25.1
	Randolph	25.1
	Currituck	25.1

	NORTH CAROLINA	**16.7**
48	Lenoir	16.6
49	Orange	16.6
50	Brunswick	16.4
51	Henderson	16.3
52	Cumberland	16.2
53	Forsyth	16.1
	Richmond	16.1
	Camden	16.1
	Surry	16.1
57	Durham	15.8
	Caldwell	15.8
59	Edgecombe	15.7
	Onslow	15.7
	Buncombe	15.7
62	New Hanover	15.5
	Madison	15.5
64	Union	15.3
	Stanly	15.3
66	Guilford	15.2
	Wake	15.2
68	Avery	15.1
69	Johnston	15.0
70	Harnett	14.7
	Duplin	14.7
	Cherokee	14.7
	Catawba	14.7
74	Alamance	14.6
75	Burke	14.4
	Macon	14.4
77	Ashe	13.7
	Alexander	13.7
	Randolph	13.7
80	Gates	13.6
81	Yadkin	13.5
82	Davidson	13.4
	Polk	13.4
	Haywood	13.4
85	Chatham	13.3
86	Wilkes	13.2
	Tyrrell	13.2
88	Alleghany	13.1
89	Currituck	12.7
90	Transylvania	12.0
	Cabarrus	12.0
92	Yancey	10.7
	Mitchell	10.7
94	Pamlico	10.5
	Watauga	10.5
96	Rowan	10.2
97	Perquimans	9.4
	Graham	9.4
99	Clay	8.2
100	Davie	8.1

45	Robeson	24.8
46	Harnett	24.1
47	Montgomery	23.6
48	Martin	23.5
49	Richmond	23.4
50	Polk	23.3
51	Rutherford	23.1
52	Beaufort	23.0
	Anson	23.0
	Moore	23.0
55	Ashe	22.8
56	Stanly	22.7
57	Camden	22.6
	Haywood	22.6
	Union	22.6
60	Pender	22.4
61	Halifax	22.3
	Hertford	22.3
63	Transylvania	22.2
64	Cumberland	22.1
	Gates	22.1
66	Duplin	21.9
67	Scotland	21.2
	Sampson	21.2
69	Columbus	21.1
70	Cherokee	21.0
71	Greene	20.7
72	Onslow	20.6
73	Franklin	20.4
	Tyrrell	20.4
75	Bladen	20.2
76	Brunswick	19.9
	Bertie	19.9
78	Granville	19.7
79	Hoke	19.6
80	Perquimans	19.3
	Northampton	19.3
82	Yadkin	19.1
	Chowan	19.1
84	Yancey	18.6
	Clay	18.6
86	Edgecombe	18.3
	Stokes	18.3
88	Craven	18.1
89	Pamlico	18.0
90	Washington	17.4
91	Warren	16.9
92	Graham	16.8
93	Madison	16.7
94	Jackson	16.3
95	Mitchell	15.9
96	Davie	15.7
97	Swain	14.2
98	Alleghany	14.0
99	Hyde	13.4
100	Macon	12.3

MULTI-COUNTY PLANNING REGION RANKINGS
In Alphabetical Order - Ranked High to Low

Multi-County Planning Region	Population Density (per sq. mi.) 1978	Rank	Migration Rate 1970-1978	Rank	Per Capita Income 1978	Rank	Rate of Unemployment 1978	Rank	% of Land in Harvested and Idle Cropland 1977	Rank	Primary Care Physicians Per 10,000 Population 1978	Rank	Infant Death Rate per 1,000 Population 1975-1979	Rank	Motor Vehicle Accidents per 1,000 population 1978	Rank
N.C.	114.3		3.0%		$ 6,693		4.3%		18.4%		5.6		16.7		28.0	
A	42.6	17	7.5	4	5,257	17	4.5	11	2.8	16	5.9	4	15.3	16	18.5	18
B	132.2	7	6.6	6	6,588	6	3.6	16	NA	-	6.9	3	15.4	15	29.6	5
C	103.5	8	3.0	8	6,208	8	4.6	9	11.7	13	4.8	8	19.7	3	26.5	8
D	62.2	15	7.0	5	5,466	16	4.1	14	7.1	15	4.1	12	12.6	18	25.4	10
E	152.8	5	2.1	10	6,818	5	5.3	4	NA	-	5.4	5	14.8	17	31.7	2
F	257.8	1	1.6	11	7,387	4	3.6	16	22.9	6	4.8	8	16.2	11	31.6	3
G	202.0	2	0.9	15	7,458	2	4.0	15	18.8	10	5.0	7	15.6	12	31.1	4
H	59.5	16	2.2	9	6,276	7	4.5	11	11.4	14	3.1	16	18.2	6	23.2	13
I	182.2	4	4.4	7	7,579	1	4.2	13	20.6	8	7.4	2	15.5	14	28.7	6
J	188.5	3	8.8	3	7,439	3	3.4	18	19.3	9	12.2	1	15.6	12	32.5	1
K	66.6	13	0.5	16	5,576	15	5.5	3	15.8	11	3.1	16	18.1	7	23.0	14
L	98.3	9	1.2	14	6,084	9	5.6	2	33.5	1	4.2	11	21.0	2	25.9	9
M	152.4	6	-2.3	18	5,631	13	5.3	4	26.2	4	2.9	18	16.5	10	22.3	17
N	68.8	12	1.4	13	4,936	18	6.2	1	26.7	3	3.5	14	18.8	4	22.8	15
O	70.8	11	10.3	1	5,789	12	5.2	6	12.6	12	4.7	10	16.8	9	26.6	7
P	93.4	10	-0.8	17	6,007	10	5.0	7	23.4	5	3.2	15	17.2	8	23.4	12
Q	64.0	14	1.6	11	5,837	11	4.9	8	27.2	2	5.4	5	21.3	1	24.3	11
R	33.6	18	9.2	2	5,614	14	4.6	9	22.2	7	4.1	12	18.3	5	22.5	16

NOTE: Regions that are tied will have the same rank number

NA Indicates the absence of acreage information for one or more counties within the region.

MULTI-COUNTY PLANNING REGION RANKINGS
In Alphabetical Order - Ranked High to Low

Population Density (per square mile) 1978

Rank	Region	Density
1	F	257.8
2	G	202.0
3	J	188.5
4	I	182.2
5	E	152.8
6	M	152.4
7	B	132.2
	N. C.	**114.3**
8	C	103.5
9	L	98.3
10	P	93.4
11	O	70.8
12	N	68.8
13	K	66.6
14	Q	64.0
15	D	62.2
16	H	59.5
17	A	42.6
18	R	33.6

Migration Rate, 1970-1978

Rank	Region	Rate
1	O	10.3%
2	R	9.2
3	J	8.8
4	A	7.5
5	D	7.0
6	B	6.6
7	I	4.4
	N. C.	**3.0**
8	C	3.0
9	H	2.2
10	E	2.1
11	Q	1.6
	F	1.6
13	N	1.4
14	L	1.2
15	G	0.9
16	K	0.5
17	P	-0.8
18	M	-2.3

Per Capita Income, 1978

Rank	Region	Amount
1	I	$ 7,579
2	G	7,458
3	J	7,439
4	F	7,387
5	E	6,818
	N. C.	**6,693**
6	B	6,588
7	H	6,276
8	C	6,208
9	L	6,084
10	P	6,007
11	Q	5,837
12	O	5,789
13	M	5,631
14	R	5,614
15	K	5,576
16	D	5,466
17	A	5,257
18	N	4,936

Rate of Unemployment, 1978

Rank	Region	Rate
1	N	6.2%
2	L	5.6
3	K	5.5
4	E	5.3
	M	5.3
6	O	5.2
7	P	5.0
8	Q	4.9
9	C	4.6
	R	4.6
11	A	4.5
	H	4.5
	N. C.	**4.3**
13	I	4.2
14	D	4.1
15	G	4.0
16	B	3.6
	F	3.6
18	J	3.4

Percent of Land in Harvested and Idle Cropland, 1977

Rank	Region	Percent
1	L	33.5%
2	Q	27.2
3	N	26.7
4	M	26.2
5	P	23.4
6	F	22.9
7	R	22.2
8	I	20.6
9	J	19.3
10	G	18.8
	N. C.	**18.4**
11	K	15.8
12	O	12.6
13	C	11.7
14	H	11.4
15	D	7.1
16	A	2.8
	E	NA
	B	NA

Primary Care Physicians Per 10,000 Population, 1978

Rank	Region	Number
1	J	12.2
2	I	7.4
3	B	6.9
4	A	5.9
	N. C.	**5.6**
5	E	5.4
	Q	5.4
7	G	5.0
8	F	4.8
	C	4.8
10	O	4.7
11	L	4.2
12	D	4.1
	R	4.1
14	N	3.5
15	P	3.2
16	K	3.1
	H	3.1
18	M	2.9

Infant Death Rate per 1,000 Population, 1975-1979

Rank	Region	Rate
1	Q	21.3
2	L	21.0
3	C	19.7
4	N	18.8
5	R	18.3
6	H	18.2
7	K	18.1
8	P	17.2
9	O	16.8
	N. C.	**16.7**
10	M	15.5
11	F	16.2
12	G	15.6
	J	15.6
14	I	15.5
15	B	15.4
16	A	15.3
17	E	14.8
18	D	12.6

Motor Vehicle Accidents Per 1,000 Population, 1978

Rank	Region	Rate
1	J	32.5
2	E	31.7
3	F	31.6
4	G	31.1
5	B	29.6
6	I	28.7
	N. C.	**28.0**
7	O	26.6
8	C	26.5
9	L	25.9
10	D	25.4
11	Q	24.6
12	P	23.4
13	H	23.2
14	K	23.0
15	N	22.8
16	R	22.5
17	M	22.3
18	A	18.5

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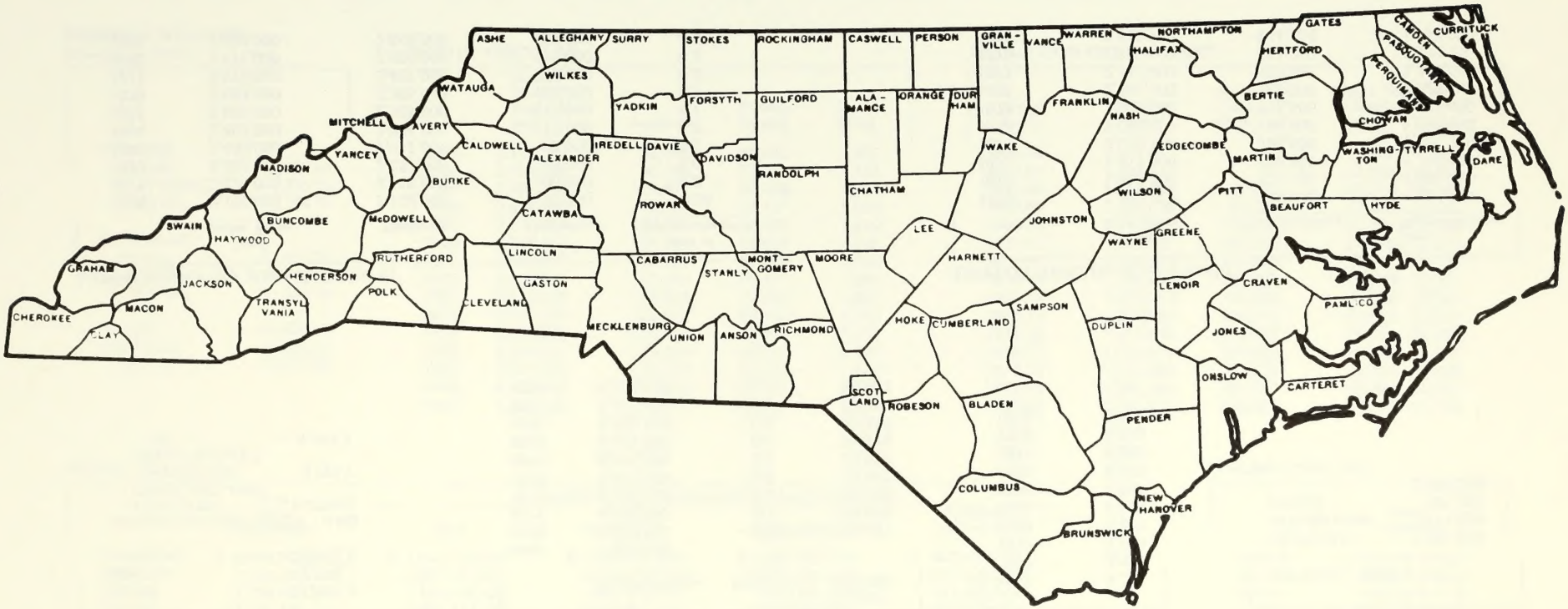
County Profiles

N.C. Counties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PENDER
COLUMBUS
NEW HANOVER
BRUNSWICK

May 20, 1775

North Carolina

State Capitol: Raleigh
Elevation: 363 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	31,190.4
WATER	2,565.1
TOTAL	33,755.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	18,355.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	8,197.7
URBAN & BUILT-UP	1,461.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	4,556,155		
1970	5,084,411	-0.2%	598,581
1971	5,157,792	0.1	65,686
1972	5,221,254	0.3	46,208
1973	5,302,439	0.8	39,872
1974	5,375,495	0.7	38,029
1975	5,441,366	0.5	36,578
1976	5,462,100	-0.3	34,940
1977	5,514,900	0.3	36,363
1978	5,570,746	0.4	36,537

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$ 3,200
1971	3,431
1972	3,810
1973	4,263
1974	4,626
1975	4,943
1976	5,473
1977	5,936
1978	6,660
1979	7,382

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	1,784,849
REPUBLICAN	574,029
OTHER	101,502
	2,460,380

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	2,195,000	2,100,000	95,000	4.3%
1971	2,224,000	2,118,000	106,000	4.8
1972	2,330,000	2,237,000	93,000	4.0
1973	2,400,000	2,317,000	83,000	3.5
1974	2,452,000	2,341,000	111,000	4.5
1975	2,501,000	2,284,000	217,000	8.7
1976	2,554,000	2,395,000	159,000	6.2
1977	2,616,000	2,461,000	155,000	5.9
1978	2,675,000	2,559,000	116,000	4.3
1979	2,692,000	2,563,000	129,000	4.8

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	1,782,700	718,400	1,064,300
1971	1,818,400	722,100	1,096,300
1972	1,911,900	756,800	1,155,100
1973	2,018,100	796,900	1,221,200
1974	2,048,200	789,600	1,258,600
1975	1,979,900	715,500	1,264,400
1976	2,082,700	756,300	1,326,400
1977	2,170,400	780,900	1,389,500
1978	2,277,400	807,200	1,470,200
1979	2,382,100	824,200	1,557,900

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	30,572	2,972
1966	NA	31,204	2,685
1967	NA	31,054	2,469
1968	NA	31,361	2,433
1969	NA	32,045	2,329
1970	NA	32,611	2,371
1971	NA	32,737	2,097
1972	2,247	33,390	2,007
1973	NA	32,579	1,864
1974	2,339	33,464	1,636
1975	NA	34,441	1,498
1976	2,715	31,501	1,434
1977	NA	31,736	1,335
1978	3,101	32,077	1,367
1979	NA	30,727	1,270

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 Thru 1964	$ 723,908	$ 806,810	83,936	68,210
1965 Thru 1969	1,491,969	1,523,401	85,672	75,963
1970 Thru 1974	1,461,114	2,118,186	63,638	51,543
1975 Thru 1979	4,154,558	3,453,568	65,750	65,839

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	6,201,310	$1,388,513,580
1966	6,284,508	1,481,498,195
1967	6,313,885	1,510,780,514
1968	6,089,953	1,471,791,156
1969	6,007,789	1,712,781,656
1970	6,081,745	1,585,419,000
1971	5,955,074	1,541,367,000
1972	5,810,092	1,699,073,000
1973	5,617,492	2,369,922,000
1974	5,273,003	2,581,113,000
1975	5,610,666	2,650,375,000
1976	5,725,502	2,834,058,000
1977	5,741,594	2,645,156,000
1978	NA	3,239,833,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	108,513	42,224	22,296	NA
1966-67	107,190	40,206	22,695	NA
1967-68	106,727	38,923	23,300	4,656
1968-69	108,814	37,658	24,314	4,638
1969-70	124,353	37,483	26,332	4,582
1970-71	148,106	35,995	28,732	4,531
1971-72	165,849	35,141	31,708	4,745
1972-73	159,209	31,779	32,512	4,489
1973-74	151,620	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	169,509	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	190,435	80,636	67,366	4,079
1976-77	198,822	75,063	68,694	3,809
1977-78	197,923	72,300	70,345	3,768
1978-79	190,860	69,356	72,138	3,593

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	10,834	2,445	19,072	2,007
1969	10,183	2,585	21,575	2,084
1970	10,858	2,801	22,280	2,159
1971	10,814	2,972	22,556	1,740
1972	10,098	3,236	23,446	1,513
1973	9,988	2,842	25,861	NA
1974	10,039	3,460	31,396	1,487
1975	10,828	5,582	34,963	1,136
1976	10,868	4,976	35,482	1,090
1977	10,515	4,102	NA	1,194
1978	9,182	5,119	NA	941
1979	10,074	5,162	35,447	806

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	12,027.67
MUNICIPAL	1,736.65
TOTAL	13,764.32
SECONDARY	
RURAL	59,413.34
MUNICIPAL	2,500.19
TOTAL	61,913.53
PAVED	55,838.88
UNPAVED	19,838.97
TOTAL	75,677.85

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	2,136,003	86,842	50,050	1,635
1966	2,286,369	97,306	52,111	1,724
1967	2,402,363	101,616	54,428	1,751
1968	2,534,166	109,383	55,127	1,869
1969	2,635,751	120,493	58,605	1,810
1970	2,742,673	124,784	58,614	1,772
1971	2,915,037	132,987	61,360	1,846
1972	3,129,564	127,872	65,416	1,983
1973	3,350,976	125,825	72,069	1,892
1974	3,461,384	121,552	68,102	1,585
1975	3,597,023	128,683	73,978	1,522
1976	3,794,917	138,444	78,315	1,531
1977	3,978,192	145,672	81,319	1,442
1978	4,187,415	155,704	85,791	1,515
1979	4,332,030	153,844	86,897	1,524

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	1,204,351	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,208,112	NA	43,520	24,324
1967-68	1,218,188	67,683	46,570	24,337
1968-69	1,220,636	93,169	49,145	24,208
1969-70	1,217,024	117,562	52,464	22,793
1970-71	1,208,021	144,828	57,408	22,753
1971-72	1,197,797	150,552	61,721	24,095
1972-73	1,185,424	166,783	64,699	23,266
1973-74	1,205,017	155,658	66,848	20,861
1974-75	1,207,460	190,675	71,505	22,951
1975-76	1,214,506	217,722	76,934	24,366
1976-77	1,233,877	197,899	77,369	24,448
1977-78	1,224,495	218,125	79,464	25,026
1978-79	1,207,104	231,957	80,294	26,226
1979-80	1,191,313	226,055	82,228	27,110

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 8,548,507,666	$ 1,832,113,526	$ 1,550,513,309	$ 1,466,728,259	$ 868,958,148
1966-67	9,126,260,732	2,007,763,810	1,737,177,175	1,539,337,946	874,249,986
1967-68	9,780,612,276	2,148,286,827	1,869,476,845	1,645,715,586	927,322,269
1968-69	10,938,485,772	2,363,919,768	2,075,943,477	1,856,438,605	1,061,656,519
1969-70	11,731,451,765	2,603,491,954	2,256,315,139	1,999,743,785	1,120,757,287
1970-71	12,653,965,346	2,820,755,903	2,453,427,695	2,164,758,279	1,163,588,442
1971-72	14,479,818,839	3,064,802,288	2,772,180,149	2,463,849,782	1,411,250,402
1972-73	16,456,868,306	3,452,227,980	3,082,610,634	2,705,960,462	1,681,582,969
1973-74	18,526,287,481	4,048,586,978	3,465,702,651	3,066,858,113	1,906,395,617
1974-75	19,357,429,530	4,537,095,779	3,580,033,976	3,319,908,448	1,781,791,981
1975-76	21,822,824,750	5,126,397,223	4,070,987,211	3,807,754,993	1,859,969,783
1976-77	24,059,065,262	5,451,151,889	4,396,169,593	4,300,369,417	2,058,579,226
1977-78	27,430,663,717	6,070,240,906	4,891,194,678	5,056,088,520	2,497,196,837
1978-79	30,865,731,144	6,878,414,506	5,532,259,965	5,530,297,933	2,909,477,411

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 193,470,412.61
1966-67	208,806,689.39
1967-68	222,636,022.23
1968-69	248,078,667.57
1969-70	273,161,758.13
1970-71	294,676,686.22
1971-72	335,537,543.73
1972-73	380,620,725.53
1973-74	420,987,112.95
1974-75	436,636,180.94
1975-76	481,664,571.50
1976-77	529,296,388.96
1977-78	599,368,608.11
1978-79	670,798,017.78

Founded 1849

Alamance

County Seat: Graham
Elevation: 656 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Alamance, Burlington, Elon College, Gibsonville (Part), Graham, Haw River, Mebane (Part)

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	273.2
WATER	4.3
TOTAL	277.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	128.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	107.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	18.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	85,674		
1970	96,502	0.0%	11244
1971	98,230	0.5	1151
1972	98,916	- 0.1	743
1973	99,611	0.2	512
1974	99,342	- 0.6	357
1975	98,509	- 1.2	324
1976	98,698	- 0.1	322
1977	98,531	- 0.5	298
1978	98,717	- 0.1	266

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,539
1971	3,779
1972	4,124
1973	4,505
1974	4,789
1975	5,082
1976	5,546
1977	5,990
1978	6,671

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	32,417
REPUBLICAN	8,683
OTHER	2,790
TOTAL	43,890

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	49,400	47,160	2,240	4.5%
1971	49,400	46,560	2,840	5.7
1972	50,640	48,270	2,370	4.7
1973	50,540	48,570	1,970	3.9
1974	50,560	47,740	2,820	5.6
1975	48,930	44,280	4,650	9.5
1976	48,060	43,740	4,320	9.0
1977	45,060	41,400	3,660	8.1
1978	45,260	43,220	2,040	4.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	42,720	24,970	17,750
1971	42,350	24,130	18,220
1972	43,760	24,900	18,860
1973	44,300	25,360	18,940
1974	44,390	24,980	19,410
1975	40,620	21,000	19,620
1976	40,230	20,180	20,050
1977	38,270	18,370	19,900
1978	40,280	18,010	22,270

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	242	40
1966	NA	250	43
1967	NA	250	37
1968	NA	250	43
1969	NA	250	45
1970	NA	250	36
1971	NA	250	33
1972	39	250	20
1973	NA	249	39
1974	39	379	22
1975	NA	328	22
1976	43	328	16
1977	NA	326	8
1978	48	326	17
1979	NA	323	19

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 6,879	$ 10,739	1,935	1,889
1965 THRU 1969	10,370	36,879	692	2,815
1970 THRU 1974	25,138	40,613	630	1,296
1975 THRU 1979	109,255	48,953	1,727	1,093

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	70,873	$11,325,404
1966	71,537	14,049,813
1967	73,032	15,671,158
1968	70,920	16,430,151
1969	69,991	19,065,276
1970	68,902	16,027,000
1971	69,306	15,809,000
1972	65,716	16,937,000
1973	63,640	23,203,000
1974	61,368	23,571,000
1975	60,190	21,641,000
1976	62,085	28,776,000
1977	63,109	26,654,000
1978	NA	29,190,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,259	432	226	NA
1966-67	1,149	395	242	NA
1967-68	1,081	376	228	25
1968-69	996	356	239	24
1969-70	929	354	241	20
1970-71	1,075	341	261	29
1971-72	1,430	344	285	42
1972-73	1,378	306	293	43
1973-74	1,332	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,669	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,893	1,012	860	34
1976-77	2,109	982	866	30
1977-78	2,109	1,030	999	37
1978-79	1,829	936	999	36

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	203	37	407	33
1969	189	45	396	34
1970	250	53	377	52
1971	182	56	405	40
1972	190	59	278	23
1973	231	54	325	NA
1974	213	64	331	20
1975	190	72	449	12
1976	166	69	483	14
1977	203	51	NA	14
1978	207	70	NA	24
1979	251	77	663	14

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	122.04
MUNICIPAL	34.02
TOTAL	156.06
SECONDARY	
RURAL	728.16
MUNICIPAL	43.17
TOTAL	771.33
PAVED	751.49
UNPAVED	175.90
TOTAL	927.39

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	45,325	1,367	772	26
1966	48,879	1,712	963	27
1967	51,650	1,940	1,013	35
1968	54,520	2,092	956	25
1969	57,789	2,097	998	16
1970	59,495	2,323	1,068	27
1971	62,703	2,193	1,021	17
1972	66,634	2,191	1,133	29
1973	70,358	2,048	1,255	25
1974	71,079	1,906	1,117	18
1975	72,466	2,096	1,398	26
1976	76,051	2,073	1,363	20
1977	78,886	2,283	1,485	14
1978	82,589	2,486	1,476	24
1979	85,095	2,487	1,566	24

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	22,393	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	22,647	NA	796	826
1967-68	22,792	1,676	874	793
1968-69	22,931	2,662	939	788
1969-70	23,067	2,698	979	761
1970-71	22,932	2,792	1,096	728
1971-72	22,812	2,759	1,234	755
1972-73	22,633	2,275	1,350	767
1973-74	22,401	965	1,404	764
1974-75	22,175	3,062	1,501	859
1975-76	22,345	4,071	1,595	866
1976-77	22,471	3,610	1,570	861
1977-78	22,066	4,203	1,585	870
1978-79	21,284	4,352	1,651	914
1979-80	20,637	1,484	1,584	1,006

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 151,795,115	$ 36,741,035	$ 26,394,965	$ 26,825,512	$ 10,560,731
1966-67	163,261,229	39,158,251	30,002,158	28,713,615	10,217,201
1967-68	175,896,203	41,793,071	31,915,136	30,790,546	11,329,416
1968-69	202,618,540	47,791,055	37,383,049	33,971,876	13,397,911
1969-70	219,311,620	53,505,092	44,323,399	34,221,512	14,485,675
1970-71	230,181,015	56,933,208	48,159,759	33,906,410	16,549,556
1971-72	262,483,220	60,403,919	53,567,160	37,534,222	19,680,845
1972-73	297,662,055	67,983,414	57,387,021	46,301,261	21,848,944
1973-74	322,300,524	77,211,587	64,859,476	45,221,912	25,087,360
1974-75	322,824,677	87,780,788	63,805,027	45,435,087	22,720,907
1975-76	359,822,498	96,822,470	66,628,991	48,816,185	25,634,162
1976-77	384,547,533	105,319,600	68,071,287	52,341,004	26,761,325
1977-78	436,159,664	116,601,572	81,204,793	59,079,605	30,764,768
1978-79	494,474,898	133,912,315	83,456,549	71,424,145	38,969,711

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 3,328,420.70
1966-67	3,569,291.90
1967-68	3,894,763.60
1968-69	4,543,171.70
1969-70	5,027,813.60
1970-71	5,307,038.00
1971-72	6,011,068.30
1972-73	6,787,657.70
1973-74	7,092,159.80
1974-75	7,206,085.70
1975-76	7,920,473.40
1976-77	8,461,251.50
1977-78	9,602,273.20
1978-79	10,713,441.90

Founded 1847

Alexander

County Seat: Taylorsville
Elevation: 1,247 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Taylorsville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	162.8
WATER	3.4
TOTAL	166.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	94.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	59.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	5.1

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	15,625		
1970	19,466	1.1%	1878
1971	20,082	1.5	260
1972	20,621	1.7	195
1973	21,435	3.0	192
1974	21,910	1.4	182
1975	21,989	- 0.4	166
1976	21,926	- 1.0	153
1977	22,242	0.7	170
1978	22,542	0.6	162

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,946
1971	3,206
1972	3,523
1973	4,040
1974	4,131
1975	4,365
1976	5,040
1977	5,521
1978	6,183

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	6,827
REPUBLICAN	5,657
OTHER	976
TOTAL	13,460

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	10,310	9,940	370	3.6%
1971	10,490	10,100	390	3.7
1972	11,250	10,930	320	2.8
1973	11,480	11,200	280	2.4
1974	11,480	10,930	550	4.8
1975	11,300	10,120	1,180	10.4
1976	11,690	11,020	670	5.7
1977	12,300	11,560	740	6.0
1978	12,840	12,120	720	5.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	5,500	3,860	1,640
1971	5,800	4,110	1,690
1972	6,170	4,370	1,800
1973	6,640	4,650	1,990
1974	6,520	4,500	2,020
1975	6,160	4,010	2,150
1976	7,090	4,910	2,180
1977	7,300	5,010	2,290
1978	7,810	5,340	2,470

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	30	12
1966	NA	32	12
1967	NA	32	6
1968	NA	32	13
1969	NA	35	10
1970	NA	35	14
1971	NA	35	8
1972	3	35	10
1973	NA	65	7
1974	4	65	1
1975	NA	65	4
1976	7	65	5
1977	NA	65	4
1978	6	65	7
1979	NA	65	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 706	$ 2,835	248	529
1965 THRU 1969	1,245	3,354	390	514
1970 THRU 1974	548	2,105	110	350
1975 THRU 1979	1,825	6,868	220	496

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	29,692	$ 9,703,404
1966	27,791	11,498,722
1967	28,835	10,978,803
1968	26,304	11,830,094
1969	24,550	14,226,879
1970	24,034	12,413,000
1971	22,270	11,575,000
1972	19,492	12,794,000
1973	22,182	20,121,000
1974	16,992	19,247,000
1975	18,055	20,846,000
1976	21,033	21,893,000
1977	17,004	23,684,000
1978	NA	27,564,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	352	256	56	NA
1966-67	229	231	58	NA
1967-68	220	206	62	6
1968-69	220	187	58	5
1969-70	204	184	56	6
1970-71	255	161	64	7
1971-72	282	147	65	7
1972-73	238	137	67	11
1973-74	202	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	229	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	292	308	209	9
1976-77	281	266	205	7
1977-78	248	249	204	9
1978-79	268	237	208	5

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	29	5	84	0
1969	24	7	91	2
1970	34	8	115	5
1971	37	6	11	3
1972	21	9	136	3
1973	43	5	177	NA
1974	47	8	120	2
1975	41	15	130	3
1976	39	17	130	1
1977	37	23	NA	1
1978	25	27	NA	1
1979	30	21	158	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	43.80
MUNICIPAL	1.59
TOTAL	45.39
SECONDARY	
RURAL	500.38
MUNICIPAL	2.59
TOTAL	502.97
PAVED	382.83
UNPAVED	165.53
TOTAL	548.36

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	8,659	317	173	5
1966	9,327	320	158	6
1967	9,826	356	203	10
1968	10,449	381	163	4
1969	10,793	372	170	7
1970	11,239	332	157	5
1971	12,014	399	276	4
1972	13,005	371	205	6
1973	14,110	489	310	5
1974	14,608	372	227	7
1975	15,006	429	240	3
1976	16,295	533	304	9
1977	16,903	511	338	6
1978	17,998	573	320	8
1979	18,679	543	283	8

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	4,087	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	4,082	NA	77	93
1967-68	4,192	191	88	105
1968-69	4,321	409	109	93
1969-70	4,424	420	111	59
1970-71	4,534	527	124	56
1971-72	4,682	640	127	60
1972-73	4,835	754	125	36
1973-74	4,983	813	113	34
1974-75	5,028	937	100	39
1975-76	5,190	1,033	100	36
1976-77	5,360	906	100	54
1977-78	5,320	589	129	71
1978-79	5,316	707	126	52
1979-80	5,276	1,166	153	46

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 17,837,615	$ 4,161,354	$ 2,127,917	$ 3,975,748	$ 2,382,289
1966-67	19,279,478	5,398,477	2,132,386	4,019,118	2,329,895
1967-68	21,114,202	6,044,034	2,224,062	4,184,303	2,662,711
1968-69	23,179,615	6,449,209	2,531,428	4,330,510	2,698,401
1969-70	23,902,917	6,866,688	2,741,904	4,762,792	2,789,114
1970-71	24,400,386	7,156,866	2,936,166	4,962,906	2,607,010
1971-72	28,398,377	7,861,784	3,291,304	5,573,049	3,243,888
1972-73	31,713,628	8,596,554	3,780,648	6,288,565	3,452,802
1973-74	33,881,436	10,449,340	3,955,957	6,858,397	3,741,523
1974-75	34,754,231	11,795,468	4,207,611	6,796,367	3,435,983
1975-76	39,630,855	13,339,205	4,870,790	7,151,642	3,684,760
1976-77	44,282,111	14,978,889	5,215,715	7,800,379	4,249,099
1977-78	48,204,691	16,128,013	5,623,219	8,880,918	5,036,135
1978-79	55,606,203	18,717,169	6,114,706	11,379,628	5,474,207

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 368,417.80
1966-67	417,751.70
1967-68	457,746.40
1968-69	490,597.50
1969-70	529,123.90
1970-71	535,727.80
1971-72	630,387.00
1972-73	704,062.10
1973-74	761,700.80
1974-75	783,005.90
1975-76	891,710.20
1976-77	996,625.90
1977-78	1,094,856.50
1978-79	1,227,149.70

Founded 1859

Alleghany

County Seat: Sparta
Elevation: 2,939 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	146.7
WATER	0.5
TOTAL	147.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	67.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	67.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	4.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	7,734		
1970	8,134	- 0.1%	488
1971	8,237	0.7	32
1972	8,439	2.1	28
1973	8,540	0.8	36
1974	8,767	2.5	17
1975	8,699	- 0.8	5
1976	8,851	1.6	16
1977	8,821	- 0.6	22
1978	8,871	0.3	22

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,461
1971	2,748
1972	2,989
1973	3,405
1974	3,436
1975	3,958
1976	4,105
1977	4,470
1978	5,136

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	4,269
REPUBLICAN	1,459
OTHER	132
TOTAL	5,860

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	3,680	3,560	120	3.3%
1971	3,620	3,510	110	3.0
1972	3,660	3,550	110	3.0
1973	3,730	3,640	90	2.4
1974	3,680	3,520	160	4.3
1975	3,690	3,430	260	7.0
1976	3,660	3,480	180	4.9
1977	3,670	3,520	150	4.1
1978	3,990	3,840	150	3.8

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,480	1,350	1,130
1971	2,480	1,350	1,130
1972	2,480	1,400	1,080
1973	2,580	1,460	1,120
1974	2,560	1,390	1,170
1975	2,450	1,280	1,170
1976	2,490	1,300	1,190
1977	2,580	1,360	1,220
1978	2,850	1,350	1,500

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	46	3
1966	NA	48	3
1967	NA	48	2
1968	NA	48	1
1969	NA	48	4
1970	NA	48	4
1971	NA	49	3
1972	2	49	4
1973	NA	49	4
1974	4	49	4
1975	NA	49	4
1976	4	49	2
1977	NA	49	1
1978	4	49	1
1979	NA	46	0

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 0	0	0
1965 THRU 1969	350	575	175	105
1970 THRU 1974	520	0	100	0
1975 THRU 1979	0	4,004	0	95

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	18,886	$ 3,080,284
1966	18,338	3,396,400
1967	18,145	3,540,587
1968	18,069	3,648,604
1969	17,172	3,915,605
1970	17,827	4,567,000
1971	18,135	5,063,000
1972	16,144	5,616,000
1973	14,797	7,715,000
1974	11,167	7,866,000
1975	11,882	9,303,000
1976	13,895	9,501,000
1977	18,913	9,743,000
1978	NA	11,853,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	329	171	82	NA
1966-67	340	164	82	NA
1967-68	314	153	81	8
1968-69	289	143	80	8
1969-70	279	147	82	7
1970-71	303	138	90	7
1971-72	344	126	89	9
1972-73	299	114	85	11
1973-74	211	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	236	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	258	244	161	11
1976-77	246	219	176	15
1977-78	219	219	176	11
1978-79	201	221	180	13

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	11	3	27	3
1969	17	4	24	2
1970	7	1	71	3
1971	21	0	23	1
1972	16	0	117	2
1973	13	3	3	NA
1974	27	3	64	0
1975	36	3	73	1
1976	20	3	63	0
1977	21	2	NA	3
1978	10	0	NA	1
1979	13	0	89	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	80.57
MUNICIPAL	3.38
TOTAL	83.95
SECONDARY	
RURAL	369.19
MUNICIPAL	2.94
TOTAL	372.13
PAVED	237.34
UNPAVED	218.74
TOTAL	456.08

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	3,917	148	62	4
1966	4,169	141	58	2
1967	4,229	126	79	2
1968	4,656	166	98	6
1969	4,751	156	67	4
1970	4,967	185	83	3
1971	5,220	155	33	3
1972	5,582	157	73	2
1973	6,055	138	71	1
1974	6,393	144	67	2
1975	6,571	160	112	5
1976	7,160	146	127	1
1977	7,341	138	117	4
1978	7,777	124	88	5
1979	8,030	157	69	4

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	1,873	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,759	NA	46	20
1967-68	1,807	115	56	27
1968-69	1,809	136	65	23
1969-70	1,828	205	68	22
1970-71	1,857	291	67	27
1971-72	1,862	198	64	16
1972-73	1,843	311	72	13
1973-74	1,985	275	65	59
1974-75	1,947	393	76	9
1975-76	2,004	433	72	10
1976-77	1,960	408	64	11
1977-78	1,925	304	68	18
1978-79	1,981	379	67	24
1979-80	1,916	524	71	29

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 9,266,034	$ 2,150,488	$ 2,673,975	$ 2,038,069	$ 261,751
1966-67	10,337,766	2,512,298	3,219,989	2,089,882	341,758
1967-68	11,578,260	2,712,660	3,185,134	2,194,154	686,004
1968-69	13,993,319	3,202,098	3,573,751	2,658,236	810,926
1969-70	14,360,120	3,480,109	3,824,122	2,883,382	733,024
1970-71	14,718,208	3,821,016	4,046,237	2,689,474	813,469
1971-72	15,861,498	4,195,435	4,068,965	2,876,667	1,046,819
1972-73	18,050,300	4,422,839	4,565,457	3,287,821	1,442,899
1973-74	18,963,337	4,820,209	4,607,780	3,673,624	1,514,752
1974-75	18,514,665	5,459,146	4,668,167	3,541,207	1,123,668
1975-76	20,935,931	6,220,584	4,632,993	4,059,865	1,400,554
1976-77	22,010,556	7,078,027	4,412,185	4,383,585	1,818,478
1977-78	24,064,755	7,753,406	5,025,329	4,353,280	2,260,645
1978-79	27,195,851	9,396,575	4,686,258	4,823,110	3,069,585

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 182,998.70
1966-67	205,173.10
1967-68	236,677.20
1968-69	274,898.80
1969-70	284,844.40
1970-71	309,050.70
1971-72	330,531.70
1972-73	378,615.70
1973-74	401,907.70
1974-75	396,630.90
1975-76	451,625.20
1976-77	493,358.30
1977-78	546,793.40
1978-79	620,542.90

Founded 1749

Anson

County Seat: Wadesboro
Elevation: 423 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Ansonville, Lilesville, McFarlen, Morven, Peachland, Polkton, South Wadesboro, Wadesboro

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	338.9
WATER	4.8
TOTAL	343.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	241.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	74.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	9.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	24,962		
1970	23,488	- 1.6%	2500
1971	23,572	- 0.6	248
1972	23,652	- 0.4	163
1973	24,004	0.9	136
1974	23,873	- 1.1	143
1975	24,056	0.2	137
1976	23,995	- 0.8	120
1977	23,982	- 0.6	142
1978	23,904	- 1.0	157

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,332
1971	2,574
1972	2,956
1973	3,384
1974	3,682
1975	4,009
1976	4,464
1977	4,946
1978	6,152

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	8,890
REPUBLICAN	559
OTHER	93
TOTAL	9,542

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	9,360	8,760	600	6.4%
1971	9,980	9,300	680	6.8
1972	10,140	9,650	490	4.8
1973	10,810	10,320	490	4.5
1974	10,710	10,130	580	5.4
1975	11,000	9,850	1,150	10.5
1976	11,420	10,690	730	6.4
1977	11,500	10,740	760	6.6
1978	12,050	11,550	500	4.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	5,400	2,600	2,800
1971	5,850	2,850	3,000
1972	5,980	3,170	2,810
1973	6,510	3,560	2,950
1974	6,550	3,630	2,920
1975	6,300	3,310	2,990
1976	6,900	3,600	3,300
1977	7,010	3,760	3,250
1978	7,650	4,170	3,480

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	50	24
1966	NA	50	23
1967	NA	50	22
1968	NA	50	23
1969	NA	50	15
1970	NA	93	20
1971	NA	93	17
1972	2	93	16
1973	NA	97	13
1974	2	97	9
1975	NA	97	4
1976	4	97	11
1977	NA	97	8
1978	5	97	12
1979	NA	96	4

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,603	$ 1,129	323	269
1965 THRU 1969	2,892	3,093	349	430
1970 THRU 1974	18,290	9,552	1,060	431
1975 THRU 1979	27,024	8,186	976	448

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	58,422	$ 8,098,804
1966	57,873	9,012,969
1967	57,601	8,657,593
1968	54,568	7,773,117
1969	53,328	9,363,858
1970	53,059	9,681,000
1971	52,569	9,281,000
1972	50,125	10,393,000
1973	50,353	16,796,000
1974	47,481	17,280,000
1975	48,330	18,711,000
1976	50,243	20,336,000
1977	53,099	21,202,000
1978	NA	31,306,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	705	394	130	NA
1966-67	666	361	132	NA
1967-68	697	346	138	51
1968-69	702	333	135	55
1969-70	692	333	146	55
1970-71	703	308	156	54
1971-72	756	290	185	56
1972-73	735	280	205	54
1973-74	743	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	797	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	768	696	377	47
1976-77	727	653	376	41
1977-78	660	626	397	43
1978-79	703	571	385	39

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	43	6	132	14
1969	40	8	170	10
1970	62	8	229	10
1971	58	12	207	14
1972	83	19	166	7
1973	48	11	166	NA
1974	41	15	223	14
1975	67	15	235	4
1976	67	17	223	9
1977	55	12	NA	6
1978	70	39	NA	7
1979	66	16	186	6

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	112.47
MUNICIPAL	14.10
TOTAL	126.57
SECONDARY	
RURAL	687.91
MUNICIPAL	21.59
TOTAL	709.50
PAVED	685.54
UNPAVED	150.53
TOTAL	836.07

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	8,832	327	241	10
1966	9,404	416	232	14
1967	9,709	386	228	8
1968	10,189	472	286	9
1969	10,299	567	279	13
1970	10,627	513	339	9
1971	11,112	566	281	16
1972	11,852	552	359	12
1973	12,483	503	330	16
1974	12,922	468	301	8
1975	13,335	510	353	5
1976	14,265	458	276	5
1977	14,654	472	317	7
1978	15,457	550	383	8
1979	15,890	537	338	5

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	6,877	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	6,716	NA	187	117
1967-68	6,552	330	192	108
1968-69	6,342	402	201	128
1969-70	5,982	295	186	123
1970-71	5,890	560	193	134
1971-72	5,800	607	205	135
1972-73	5,760	839	235	128
1973-74	5,774	716	251	66
1974-75	5,727	1,091	284	99
1975-76	5,701	1,320	319	93
1976-77	5,692	1,115	310	114
1977-78	5,579	1,495	290	124
1978-79	5,522	499	262	129
1979-80	5,455	932	257	132

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 24,608,089	$ 6,449,777	$ 3,828,167	$ 5,626,240	$ 2,334,783
1966-67	26,733,285	7,220,212	4,274,047	6,062,013	2,287,161
1967-68	27,488,498	7,328,005	4,670,288	6,204,825	2,372,377
1968-69	29,975,001	8,132,496	4,737,732	6,563,156	2,656,943
1969-70	30,945,246	8,871,352	5,098,660	7,093,349	2,517,245
1970-71	32,579,758	9,554,866	5,336,153	6,888,414	2,657,884
1971-72	36,226,822	10,222,886	5,549,433	7,902,756	2,261,401
1972-73	37,105,712	10,843,013	5,098,444	8,527,445	1,833,956
1973-74	41,145,824	12,495,842	5,583,820	9,726,502	2,672,705
1974-75	41,225,159	14,407,291	5,649,838	9,339,317	1,807,320
1975-76	45,324,094	15,893,833	6,020,082	10,499,198	930,941
1976-77	51,454,195	17,272,162	6,218,311	12,830,987	795,107
1977-78	58,644,348	19,477,276	7,161,762	12,968,301	1,173,605
1978-79	71,730,121	22,358,340	8,259,936	18,688,432	2,052,823

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 502,448.20
1966-67	551,383.50
1967-68	567,992.80
1968-69	609,270.40
1969-70	648,618.20
1970-71	683,429.60
1971-72	756,954.50
1972-73	780,013.40
1973-74	843,502.30
1974-75	887,181.40
1975-76	974,524.00
1976-77	1,072,134.90
1977-78	1,261,888.70
1978-79	1,361,224.00

Founded 1799

Ashe

County Seat: Jefferson
Elevation: 2,900 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Jefferson, Lansing, West Jefferson

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	272.1
WATER	1.2
TOTAL	273.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	145.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	109.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	10.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	19,768		
1970	19,571	- 1.0%	1751
1971	19,801	0.5	116
1972	19,567	- 1.7	112
1973	19,789	0.7	92
1974	19,992	0.7	58
1975	20,117	0.3	61
1976	20,192	0.1	46
1977	20,404	0.7	61
1978	20,694	1.0	89

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,133
1971	2,334
1972	2,745
1973	3,297
1974	3,547
1975	3,682
1976	4,214
1977	4,599
1978	5,283

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	7,220
REPUBLICAN	5,837
OTHER	403
TOTAL	13,460

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	7,960	7,550	410	5.2%
1971	8,080	7,620	460	5.7
1972	8,280	7,850	430	5.2
1973	9,320	8,980	340	3.6
1974	9,390	8,860	530	5.6
1975	9,180	7,810	1,370	14.9
1976	9,570	8,920	650	6.8
1977	9,840	9,080	760	7.7
1978	9,690	9,290	400	4.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	4,340	2,330	2,010
1971	4,470	2,350	2,120
1972	4,520	2,450	2,070
1973	5,330	3,070	2,260
1974	5,420	3,130	2,290
1975	4,630	2,310	2,320
1976	5,390	2,870	2,520
1977	5,610	3,020	2,590
1978	5,840	3,140	2,700

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	50	11
1966	NA	44	9
1967	NA	44	8
1968	NA	44	10
1969	NA	44	4
1970	NA	44	2
1971	NA	44	7
1972	2	76	8
1973	NA	76	3
1974	3	76	4
1975	NA	76	4
1976	8	76	4
1977	NA	76	3
1978	6	76	3
1979	NA	76	5

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 1,100	0	380
1965 THRU 1969	9,750	929	570	355
1970 THRU 1974	3,395	200	410	50
1975 THRU 1979	5,950	1,946	565	125

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	29,055	$ 10,063,844
1966	28,269	11,670,947
1967	27,537	10,325,855
1968	26,688	12,691,805
1969	24,363	15,824,707
1970	25,947	8,968,000
1971	24,169	8,017,000
1972	26,199	9,736,000
1973	19,691	13,437,000
1974	22,615	12,091,000
1975	22,004	12,030,000
1976	22,301	12,870,000
1977	23,477	13,120,000
1978	NA	18,404,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	801	336	171	NA
1966-67	738	322	175	NA
1967-68	694	297	180	15
1968-69	675	267	178	13
1969-70	604	259	178	12
1970-71	642	250	178	12
1971-72	603	246	197	14
1972-73	496	241	196	16
1973-74	356	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	350	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	365	607	372	18
1976-77	361	602	391	17
1977-78	381	573	414	19
1978-79	364	554	438	19

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	26	4	68	3
1969	18	7	65	5
1970	15	4	10	10
1971	27	7	105	2
1972	43	3	44	2
1973	38	3	123	NA
1974	38	4	149	3
1975	51	10	151	0
1976	32	9	144	4
1977	46	6	NA	4
1978	38	8	NA	1
1979	31	6	164	2

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	111.63
MUNICIPAL	4.83
TOTAL	116.46
SECONDARY	
RURAL	673.34
MUNICIPAL	2.35
TOTAL	675.69
PAVED	361.34
UNPAVED	430.81
TOTAL	792.15

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	7,920	350	135	3
1966	8,515	386	147	3
1967	8,844	280	114	8
1968	9,431	238	134	4
1969	9,632	290	128	8
1970	9,964	327	134	8
1971	10,548	355	153	3
1972	11,267	334	135	1
1973	12,110	329	147	3
1974	12,609	334	153	0
1975	12,888	423	182	1
1976	14,358	465	167	8
1977	14,829	498	168	3
1978	15,934	471	180	6
1979	16,134	472	157	2

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

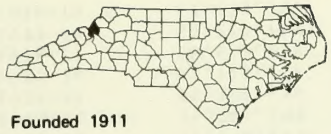
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	4,993	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	4,834	NA	138	36
1967-68	4,739	238	151	31
1968-69	4,756	243	170	34
1969-70	4,640	220	193	36
1970-71	4,599	347	191	29
1971-72	4,461	467	208	22
1972-73	4,381	585	188	27
1973-74	4,512	600	149	34
1974-75	4,527	703	174	30
1975-76	4,576	1,247	171	27
1976-77	4,588	1,087	163	34
1977-78	4,540	864	178	35
1978-79	4,447	1,185	171	53
1979-80	4,388	1,438	173	46

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 18,779,247	$ 4,888,606	$ 3,135,888	$ 4,132,629	$ 1,408,998
1966-67	19,658,295	5,222,816	3,464,642	4,464,883	1,307,460
1967-68	20,068,243	5,588,929	3,573,987	4,501,240	1,238,571
1968-69	22,338,212	6,175,008	3,900,337	4,865,068	1,385,816
1969-70	25,116,405	6,534,235	4,375,637	5,466,573	1,572,253
1970-71	26,380,952	7,098,301	4,689,277	5,967,871	1,859,248
1971-72	30,952,118	7,781,315	4,589,375	6,672,324	2,568,753
1972-73	33,436,355	8,608,476	4,734,714	7,124,582	2,675,293
1973-74	35,244,399	10,157,328	5,426,026	7,904,423	2,999,645
1974-75	39,329,136	11,538,525	5,632,493	8,394,133	2,928,569
1975-76	47,718,843	13,291,792	7,257,001	9,854,507	3,114,920
1976-77	54,882,788	14,546,801	7,990,820	11,819,746	3,474,646
1977-78	62,210,759	16,321,328	8,640,369	12,801,229	5,095,416
1978-79	67,713,313	18,278,430	9,611,675	13,637,710	6,555,209

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 399,633.60
1966-67	431,029.30
1967-68	428,826.10
1968-69	478,475.90
1969-70	551,101.70
1970-71	581,725.30
1971-72	681,598.50
1972-73	747,147.00
1973-74	828,231.20
1974-75	866,544.00
1975-76	1,026,814.90
1976-77	1,165,521.90
1977-78	1,360,330.00
1978-79	1,481,893.90



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Avery

County Seat: Newland
Elevation: 3,589 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Banner Elk, Crossnore, Elk Park, Linville, Newland, Seven Devils (Part)

AREA (thousands of acres)

LAND	157.3
WATER	0.8
TOTAL	158.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	100.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	28.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	3.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	12,009		
1970	12,655	- 0.5%	1268
1971	13,119	2.1	125
1972	13,344	1.0	95
1973	13,494	0.4	90
1974	13,975	3.0	79
1975	14,079	0.3	57
1976	14,050	- 0.5	41
1977	14,016	- 0.6	57
1978	14,067	- 0.2	83

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$1,959
1971	2,108
1972	2,401
1973	2,615
1974	2,763
1975	3,009
1976	3,248
1977	3,622
1978	4,086

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	1,773
REPUBLICAN	5,053
OTHER	149
TOTAL	6,975

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	5,160	4,820	340	6.6%
1971	5,300	4,920	380	7.2
1972	5,720	5,440	280	4.9
1973	5,640	5,420	220	3.9
1974	5,720	5,300	420	7.3
1975	5,850	5,060	790	13.5
1976	5,720	5,160	560	9.8
1977	5,710	5,270	440	7.7
1978	5,850	5,560	290	5.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,970	970	2,000
1971	3,050	850	2,200
1972	3,720	940	2,780
1973	3,610	910	2,700
1974	3,450	720	2,730
1975	3,090	560	2,530
1976	3,110	520	2,590
1977	3,190	510	2,680
1978	3,480	590	2,890

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	127	6
1966	NA	120	8
1967	NA	120	9
1968	NA	120	2
1969	NA	120	7
1970	NA	120	7
1971	NA	120	4
1972	10	120	4
1973	NA	139	3
1974	8	139	7
1975	NA	137	1
1976	7	137	4
1977	NA	137	4
1978	11	137	3
1979	NA	130	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 615	$ 60	335	0
1965 THRU 1969	0	352	0	25
1970 THRU 1974	2,130	0	400	0
1975 THRU 1979	3,324	0	260	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	11,973	$ 3,264,881
1966	11,665	2,703,799
1967	10,617	2,611,058
1968	10,097	3,254,490
1969	9,137	3,457,793
1970	7,878	2,903,000
1971	6,450	2,966,000
1972	7,144	3,261,000
1973	8,831	3,886,000
1974	5,224	4,713,000
1975	4,786	4,579,000
1976	6,174	4,986,000
1977	4,141	5,352,000
1978	NA	7,123,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	483	286	106	NA
1966-67	403	261	105	NA
1967-68	322	237	107	13
1968-69	245	215	99	14
1969-70	212	207	97	14
1970-71	246	203	99	14
1971-72	238	198	99	15
1972-73	201	173	99	14
1973-74	186	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	199	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	192	366	241	11
1976-77	169	348	241	17
1977-78	143	334	244	15
1978-79	120	315	237	16

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	2	1	14	1
1969	3	2	14	0
1970	6	2	20	1
1971	7	2	32	1
1972	11	1	32	1
1973	11	0	39	NA
1974	12	0	55	1
1975	16	2	59	5
1976	18	6	67	0
1977	9	4	NA	0
1978	11	2	NA	1
1979	18	1	62	2

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	75.60
MUNICIPAL	8.67
TOTAL	84.27
SECONDARY	
RURAL	237.16
MUNICIPAL	12.15
TOTAL	249.31
PAVED	174.95
UNPAVED	158.63
TOTAL	333.58

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	4,763	215	136	7
1966	5,156	211	116	3
1967	5,504	218	112	1
1968	5,738	226	95	5
1969	6,035	260	146	2
1970	6,259	238	139	5
1971	6,783	293	141	4
1972	7,480	304	166	4
1973	8,124	306	170	2
1974	8,505	325	169	6
1975	8,705	342	185	1
1976	9,750	363	189	3
1977	9,976	341	202	2
1978	10,892	426	240	2
1979	11,101	399	258	5

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,089	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,011	NA	74	43
1967-68	2,986	146	80	38
1968-69	3,030	318	105	52
1969-70	3,019	259	101	45
1970-71	3,058	232	110	44
1971-72	3,117	456	106	37
1972-73	3,065	384	126	35
1973-74	3,168	314	119	38
1974-75	3,189	438	117	27
1975-76	3,216	460	143	53
1976-77	3,233	383	142	72
1977-78	3,194	377	154	63
1978-79	3,251	925	139	54
1979-80	3,246	707	140	48

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 8,535,047	$ 2,850,589	$ 1,693,229	$ 1,487,010	$ 799,298
1966-67	9,272,307	2,999,021	1,977,993	1,624,032	948,724
1967-68	9,902,558	3,308,412	1,935,581	1,850,488	1,095,572
1968-69	11,910,689	3,750,334	2,091,257	2,123,771	1,653,256
1969-70	14,585,731	3,995,406	2,392,596	2,214,686	2,213,748
1970-71	15,607,360	4,689,559	2,591,122	2,390,354	2,343,175
1971-72	17,624,582	5,087,094	2,989,750	2,640,752	3,272,376
1972-73	19,754,069	5,403,723	3,676,369	2,483,349	4,574,040
1973-74	22,921,060	6,770,806	4,659,673	2,848,925	4,434,721
1974-75	23,810,508	8,097,299	4,242,509	3,676,514	3,473,358
1975-76	27,476,980	9,156,443	4,422,930	3,827,244	4,073,777
1976-77	30,119,622	10,941,294	5,067,328	4,819,562	4,003,695
1977-78	38,470,899	12,595,527	7,881,581	5,428,555	5,266,149
1978-79	42,138,684	16,698,084	5,489,120	5,941,541	5,966,831

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 196,471.60
1966-67	215,493.20
1967-68	227,134.00
1968-69	277,796.80
1969-70	355,356.80
1970-71	385,149.70
1971-72	435,941.00
1972-73	494,329.20
1973-74	567,881.80
1974-75	543,405.80
1975-76	641,124.10
1976-77	705,212.00
1977-78	876,445.30
1978-79	956,804.80

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Beaufort

County Seat: Washington
Elevation: 11 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Aurora, Bath, Belhaven, Chocowinity, Pantego, Washington, Washington Park

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	529.4
WATER	88.8
TOTAL	618.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	340.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	145.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	12.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	36,014		
1970	35,980	- 0.9%	3102
1971	36,215	- 0.1	263
1972	36,039	- 0.9	167
1973	36,859	1.9	142
1974	37,255	0.6	189
1975	38,235	2.0	225
1976	38,958	1.3	237
1977	39,433	0.6	230
1978	39,875	0.6	196

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,693
1971	2,712
1972	3,261
1973	3,775
1974	4,117
1975	4,369
1976	4,925
1977	5,110
1978	5,866

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	12,921
REPUBLICAN	1,803
OTHER	263
TOTAL	14,987

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	15,330	14,640	690	4.5%
1971	15,750	15,040	710	4.5
1972	16,530	15,750	780	4.7
1973	16,840	16,120	720	4.3
1974	16,500	15,960	540	3.3
1975	18,120	16,970	1,150	6.3
1976	18,320	17,200	1,120	6.1
1977	18,640	17,590	1,050	5.6
1978	19,800	18,960	840	4.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	10,460	3,750	6,710
1971	10,950	4,130	6,820
1972	11,350	4,310	7,040
1973	11,830	4,640	7,190
1974	12,090	4,580	7,510
1975	12,860	3,920	8,940
1976	12,950	4,300	8,650
1977	13,550	4,680	8,870
1978	14,960	5,060	9,900

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	158	17
1966	NA	153	20
1967	NA	153	14
1968	NA	153	15
1969	NA	216	16
1970	NA	210	18
1971	NA	210	17
1972	13	210	18
1973	NA	210	13
1974	14	210	8
1975	NA	210	19
1976	13	232	16
1977	NA	232	14
1978	17	232	12
1979	NA	211	11

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 45,145	$ 1,571	435	835
1965 THRU 1969	55,640	2,633	1,218	200
1970 THRU 1974	6,994	127,390	890	495
1975 THRU 1979	4,553	174,402	232	838

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	123,546	$ 24,721,194
1966	126,835	25,782,067
1967	128,436	25,703,050
1968	130,220	25,932,756
1969	127,816	27,825,080
1970	132,464	27,742,000
1971	129,952	22,659,000
1972	126,818	29,378,000
1973	129,385	40,219,000
1974	127,905	48,229,000
1975	123,338	48,051,000
1976	127,442	53,040,000
1977	125,344	43,320,000
1978	NA	50,959,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,286	516	268	NA
1966-67	1,201	494	257	NA
1967-68	1,283	495	278	87
1968-69	1,120	473	292	80
1969-70	1,077	458	296	64
1970-71	939	426	281	54
1971-72	1,025	410	290	50
1972-73	1,072	367	294	37
1973-74	1,039	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,229	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,501	976	673	32
1976-77	1,752	908	678	25
1977-78	1,643	886	674	25
1978-79	1,504	857	700	23

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	89	44	111	37
1969	85	39	148	45
1970	92	56	152	40
1971	99	51	146	23
1972	121	53	151	19
1973	92	41	187	NA
1974	100	51	232	28
1975	98	44	295	6
1976	116	33	278	4
1977	100	34	NA	9
1978	76	41	NA	11
1979	105	45	334	6

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	168.19
MUNICIPAL	12.55
TOTAL	180.74
SECONDARY	
RURAL	683.61
MUNICIPAL	12.72
TOTAL	696.33
PAVED	574.47
UNPAVED	302.60
TOTAL	877.07

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	15,021	585	248	18
1966	16,205	661	311	17
1967	16,576	681	314	13
1968	17,751	675	330	17
1969	18,194	708	312	16
1970	18,643	795	376	10
1971	19,752	814	466	23
1972	20,969	756	354	16
1973	22,693	794	469	14
1974	23,604	774	394	22
1975	25,214	824	438	11
1976	26,953	838	447	8
1977	28,065	915	525	16
1978	29,331	918	509	11
1979	30,346	865	466	9

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

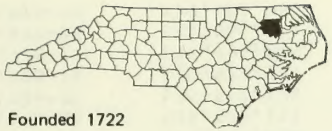
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	10,072	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	10,014	NA	431	135
1967-68	9,768	482	432	153
1968-69	9,430	518	455	142
1969-70	9,027	1,380	401	123
1970-71	8,851	1,332	455	129
1971-72	8,651	908	466	123
1972-73	8,492	1,534	487	112
1973-74	8,785	1,263	455	89
1974-75	8,889	1,409	495	90
1975-76	8,807	1,589	475	107
1976-77	8,934	1,367	529	122
1977-78	8,950	1,693	549	115
1978-79	8,939	1,886	546	132
1979-80	8,796	1,866	544	150

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 55,104,931	$ 13,533,596	$ 10,245,677	$ 9,963,110	$ 3,452,366
1966-67	57,327,669	14,831,281	11,133,435	10,536,054	3,079,853
1967-68	60,381,613	14,909,915	11,590,268	11,339,990	3,433,737
1968-69	69,638,857	16,241,366	14,248,514	12,654,105	4,778,553
1969-70	73,157,626	18,092,941	13,929,200	12,813,549	5,268,434
1970-71	79,997,110	19,665,658	14,251,582	13,762,833	6,671,099
1971-72	91,128,230	20,232,131	19,554,583	14,751,211	7,714,209
1972-73	107,879,256	22,293,132	24,302,073	17,082,586	9,449,321
1973-74	125,920,111	27,495,067	28,050,831	19,288,552	10,168,209
1974-75	135,562,128	32,160,841	25,501,356	21,610,416	10,332,264
1975-76	159,529,987	35,817,644	31,442,934	27,983,831	10,612,368
1976-77	177,794,659	39,180,857	35,805,892	32,671,461	12,281,596
1977-78	191,566,041	42,808,242	38,822,042	35,634,448	15,318,115
1978-79	219,682,966	47,438,767	48,544,904	41,099,236	16,653,788

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,539,823.50
1966-67	1,679,437.10
1967-68	1,414,399.20
1968-69	1,497,944.30
1969-70	1,626,341.60
1970-71	1,748,306.40
1971-72	1,995,419.90
1972-73	2,342,306.40
1973-74	2,754,763.90
1974-75	3,056,543.80
1975-76	3,375,927.90
1976-77	3,703,996.80
1977-78	4,082,401.10
1978-79	4,612,084.90



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Bertie

County Seat: Windsor
Elevation: 10 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Askewville, Aulander, Colerain, Kelford, Lewiston, Powellsville, Roxobel, Windsor, Woodville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	440.7
WATER	23.9
TOTAL	464.6
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	309.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	100.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	13.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	24,350		
1970	20,528	- 2.7%	2304
1971	20,781	0.5	114
1972	20,679	- 0.8	63
1973	20,582	- 0.8	64
1974	20,530	- 0.6	63
1975	20,918	1.5	77
1976	20,932	- 0.4	93
1977	21,167	0.6	117
1978	21,098	- 0.8	98

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,150
1971	2,131
1972	2,566
1973	3,318
1974	3,688
1975	3,979
1976	4,338
1977	4,681
1978	5,344

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	8,231
REPUBLICAN	312
OTHER	72
TOTAL	8,615

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	6,940	6,450	490	7.1%
1971	7,010	6,460	550	7.8
1972	7,150	6,560	590	8.3
1973	7,940	7,460	480	6.0
1974	8,270	7,800	470	5.7
1975	8,430	7,700	730	8.7
1976	8,670	7,900	770	8.9
1977	9,230	8,400	830	9.0
1978	8,490	7,970	520	6.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	3,400	1,360	2,040
1971	3,490	1,430	2,060
1972	3,480	1,510	1,970
1973	4,050	1,960	2,090
1974	4,430	2,190	2,240
1975	4,310	2,100	2,210
1976	4,570	2,320	2,250
1977	4,990	2,560	2,430
1978	4,890	2,500	2,390

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	50	12
1966	NA	48	15
1967	NA	48	10
1968	NA	48	11
1969	NA	48	16
1970	NA	48	7
1971	NA	48	8
1972	7	48	9
1973	NA	48	6
1974	7	48	8
1975	NA	48	13
1976	4	48	9
1977	NA	48	5
1978	4	48	7
1979	NA	49	10

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 4,700	$ 0	145	0
1965 THRU 1969	265	362	245	155
1970 THRU 1974	2,000	4,300	390	270
1975 THRU 1979	12,000	6,469	660	460

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	88,570	$ 13,020,784
1966	87,073	18,037,195
1967	87,459	21,061,648
1968	86,362	21,240,417
1969	84,447	23,514,452
1970	86,831	20,535,000
1971	87,575	19,885,000
1972	87,951	23,566,000
1973	91,290	33,684,000
1974	90,829	36,881,000
1975	92,876	39,690,000
1976	92,678	41,323,000
1977	89,817	44,341,000
1978	NA	48,120,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	734	404	168	NA
1966-67	956	398	200	NA
1967-68	1,104	383	228	35
1968-69	1,197	355	228	35
1969-70	1,302	341	243	28
1970-71	1,354	319	258	26
1971-72	1,343	291	276	27
1972-73	1,287	264	280	26
1973-74	1,069	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	960	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,097	754	685	22
1976-77	1,192	701	675	20
1977-78	1,134	674	709	22
1978-79	1,067	637	684	23

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	25	5	125	5
1969	15	8	127	1
1970	29	5	113	2
1971	15	10	114	0
1972	21	9	133	2
1973	26	13	113	NA
1974	31	11	131	2
1975	39	12	167	2
1976	45	19	189	2
1977	53	24	NA	3
1978	49	32	NA	4
1979	37	28	175	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	144.26
MUNICIPAL	13.40
TOTAL	157.66
SECONDARY	
RURAL	475.94
MUNICIPAL	10.87
TOTAL	486.81
PAVED	452.04
UNPAVED	192.43
TOTAL	644.47

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	8,456	265	178	7
1966	8,742	324	152	6
1967	9,044	340	201	11
1968	9,461	357	162	12
1969	9,804	373	149	5
1970	9,874	355	184	11
1971	10,555	388	173	14
1972	10,926	355	154	4
1973	11,670	415	185	10
1974	12,225	438	217	9
1975	12,845	411	168	7
1976	13,550	429	225	6
1977	14,301	448	199	6
1978	14,654	419	211	8
1979	14,921	413	235	7

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	6,991	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	6,869	NA	235	95
1967-68	6,701	341	220	102
1968-69	6,410	384	231	98
1969-70	5,849	521	236	98
1970-71	5,755	498	204	95
1971-72	5,709	797	213	107
1972-73	5,641	766	211	103
1973-74	5,809	954	218	95
1974-75	5,683	979	255	83
1975-76	5,209	1,000	296	54
1976-77	5,405	550	277	91
1977-78	5,250	782	289	85
1978-79	5,115	1,087	256	79
1979-80	4,988	926	289	84

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 19,109,682	$ 4,849,356	$ 2,403,557	$ 4,994,970	$ 883,776
1966-67	19,647,459	5,205,573	2,419,669	5,213,813	925,168
1967-68	21,313,184	5,903,688	2,431,947	5,248,228	937,200
1968-69	23,598,200	6,412,412	2,458,071	5,649,863	1,095,337
1969-70	24,489,718	6,860,605	2,659,902	5,843,623	945,601
1970-71	27,072,677	7,758,926	3,005,524	6,538,465	1,018,553
1971-72	27,251,126	7,962,760	3,042,470	6,012,139	1,191,723
1972-73	30,807,170	8,861,825	3,167,600	6,261,164	1,694,121
1973-74	35,439,681	9,973,080	3,710,691	7,171,696	2,149,727
1974-75	36,101,074	11,712,651	3,957,738	6,922,239	1,735,113
1975-76	40,880,115	12,575,785	5,054,926	7,913,935	1,996,541
1976-77	43,818,867	12,906,925	5,774,679	8,982,509	1,946,090
1977-78	46,491,279	13,759,519	6,622,691	9,906,675	2,052,638
1978-79	52,440,381	14,847,476	8,583,937	11,113,152	3,017,285

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 362,459.80
1966-67	379,591.60
1967-68	406,382.40
1968-69	436,710.10
1969-70	476,949.60
1970-71	515,191.10
1971-72	537,072.60
1972-73	598,343.40
1973-74	687,820.60
1974-75	719,366.20
1975-76	791,980.20
1976-77	842,928.70
1977-78	912,992.10
1978-79	1,004,833.70

Founded 1734

Bladen

County Seat: Elizabethtown
Elevation: 121 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Bladenboro, Clarkton, Dublin, East Arcadia, Elizabethtown, Tar Heel, White Lake

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	560.6
WATER	7.7
TOTAL	568.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	452.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	88.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	10.1

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	28,881		
1970	26,477	- 1.9%	2791
1971	26,699	0.0	212
1972	26,920	0.2	177
1973	27,718	2.3	185
1974	28,193	1.1	171
1975	28,715	1.2	172
1976	28,595	- 1.0	173
1977	28,872	0.4	168
1978	29,064	0.1	161

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,276
1971	2,356
1972	2,791
1973	3,174
1974	3,419
1975	3,596
1976	3,942
1977	4,097
1978	4,734

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	12,255
REPUBLICAN	661
OTHER	108
TOTAL	13,024

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	10,290	9,630	660	6.4%
1971	10,290	9,490	800	7.8
1972	11,580	10,790	790	6.8
1973	11,800	11,100	700	5.9
1974	11,780	10,740	1,040	8.8
1975	11,850	10,180	1,670	14.1
1976	11,900	10,790	1,110	9.3
1977	12,070	10,850	1,220	10.0
1978	12,270	11,620	650	5.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	5,250	2,390	2,860
1971	5,240	2,380	2,860
1972	5,930	2,940	2,990
1973	6,180	3,080	3,100
1974	6,210	2,840	3,370
1975	5,790	2,430	3,360
1976	6,160	2,640	3,520
1977	6,380	2,840	3,540
1978	7,050	3,190	3,860

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	60	21
1966	NA	60	17
1967	NA	60	19
1968	NA	60	15
1969	NA	60	12
1970	NA	60	12
1971	NA	60	10
1972	6	60	16
1973	NA	60	19
1974	6	60	14
1975	NA	62	8
1976	9	62	7
1977	NA	62	8
1978	7	62	10
1979	NA	70	8

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 248	$ 930	176	177
1965 THRU 1969	17,372	295	769	187
1970 THRU 1974	6,371	1,248	824	355
1975 THRU 1979	1,735	4,704	145	395

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	80,100	$ 15,619,128
1966	80,044	18,883,615
1967	82,877	18,427,241
1968	84,139	17,334,987
1969	85,285	18,823,310
1970	84,384	19,782,000
1971	85,354	19,216,000
1972	84,900	21,880,000
1973	79,635	28,237,000
1974	79,507	32,650,000
1975	80,606	35,152,000
1976	83,192	34,346,000
1977	85,086	29,579,000
1978	NA	37,707,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,458	295	182	NA
1966-67	1,371	265	183	NA
1967-68	1,144	253	191	42
1968-69	1,109	220	186	39
1969-70	1,219	222	205	36
1970-71	1,259	231	234	33
1971-72	1,420	231	270	37
1972-73	1,489	217	285	43
1973-74	1,442	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,576	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,755	751	661	28
1976-77	1,823	689	657	26
1977-78	1,940	664	686	26
1978-79	1,913	646	695	27

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	59	6	142	10
1969	57	11	156	10
1970	59	15	161	13
1971	78	17	124	9
1972	66	18	103	13
1973	66	20	95	NA
1974	39	23	171	7
1975	39	26	213	5
1976	51	25	270	1
1977	73	22	NA	4
1978	41	22	NA	3
1979	44	19	334	4

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	262.15
MUNICIPAL	17.97
TOTAL	280.12
SECONDARY	
RURAL	564.58
MUNICIPAL	30.62
TOTAL	595.20
PAVED	662.52
UNPAVED	212.80
TOTAL	875.32

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	9,557	402	269	15
1966	10,197	385	260	10
1967	10,731	425	256	12
1968	10,990	481	305	16
1969	11,470	514	285	14
1970	11,684	537	321	24
1971	12,515	563	316	22
1972	13,447	500	349	18
1973	14,669	511	344	18
1974	15,100	449	284	13
1975	15,907	525	336	15
1976	16,924	514	334	13
1977	17,714	531	281	21
1978	18,010	586	377	5
1979	18,899	611	383	10

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	8,337	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	8,142	NA	223	115
1967-68	7,932	389	241	113
1968-69	7,725	627	249	110
1969-70	7,526	661	253	111
1970-71	7,394	933	290	114
1971-72	7,232	1,237	303	118
1972-73	7,104	1,161	363	108
1973-74	7,383	1,093	363	87
1974-75	7,403	1,353	342	118
1975-76	7,312	1,355	359	113
1976-77	7,280	757	403	104
1977-78	7,199	1,532	417	105
1978-79	7,044	1,396	390	96
1979-80	7,047	1,616	371	89

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 28,556,983	$ 5,664,677	$ 6,326,850	$ 7,149,124	$ 1,439,209
1966-67	31,185,332	6,539,531	6,690,950	7,943,996	1,358,058
1967-68	31,405,248	6,909,310	7,014,325	7,978,471	1,399,731
1968-69	35,355,829	7,541,869	7,395,351	9,025,659	1,626,971
1969-70	37,102,903	8,141,556	8,111,572	9,263,227	1,741,336
1970-71	39,489,525	8,838,516	8,445,805	9,536,716	1,680,468
1971-72	44,165,997	9,108,845	9,655,128	10,293,838	1,779,359
1972-73	49,467,840	10,497,477	10,676,824	10,560,947	1,850,617
1973-74	55,786,632	11,117,321	13,447,753	12,089,805	2,213,599
1974-75	57,555,560	11,679,505	13,859,185	12,705,043	2,271,660
1975-76	66,366,963	13,950,453	15,061,835	13,850,503	2,403,675
1976-77	69,764,412	13,227,418	16,218,078	15,362,961	2,407,641
1977-78	72,417,063	13,833,106	16,215,939	17,324,624	2,916,381
1978-79	83,541,130	16,129,075	18,147,367	21,250,759	2,848,685

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 543,810.20
1966-67	592,195.20
1967-68	613,722.60
1968-69	677,781.10
1969-70	754,456.10
1970-71	818,639.50
1971-72	881,773.80
1972-73	973,211.60
1973-74	1,052,955.10
1974-75	1,052,695.70
1975-76	1,219,019.50
1976-77	1,297,625.70
1977-78	1,352,107.10
1978-79	1,530,953.40

Founded 1764

Brunswick

County Seat: Bolivia
Elevation: 40 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Belville, Boiling Spring Lakes, Bolivia, Calabash, Caswell Beach, Holden Beach, Long Beach, Navassa, Ocean Isle Beach, Shady Forest, Shallotte, Southport, Sunset Beach, Yaupon Beach

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	556.3
WATER	23.2
TOTAL	579.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	443.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	54.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	6.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	20,279		
1970	24,223	0.6%	2513
1971	25,507	3.1	328
1972	27,794	7.8	298
1973	30,593	8.8	341
1974	32,227	4.2	361
1975	32,720	0.5	338
1976	32,867	- 0.5	299
1977	32,588	- 1.7	274
1978	32,707	- 0.4	254

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,358
1971	2,379
1972	2,715
1973	2,911
1974	3,147
1975	3,486
1976	3,935
1977	4,435
1978	5,071

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	12,827
REPUBLICAN	4,222
OTHER	465
TOTAL	17,514

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	11,250	10,810	440	3.9%
1971	11,070	10,450	620	5.6
1972	12,470	11,840	630	5.1
1973	13,360	12,800	560	4.2
1974	13,810	12,980	830	6.0
1975	14,310	12,930	1,380	9.6
1976	15,150	13,600	1,550	10.2
1977	15,190	13,730	1,460	9.6
1978	15,160	14,230	930	6.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	5,130	1,690	3,440
1971	6,030	1,480	4,550
1972	8,890	2,560	6,330
1973	8,890	3,060	5,830
1974	9,330	3,300	6,030
1975	8,830	3,320	5,510
1976	8,930	3,390	5,540
1977	8,730	3,430	5,[illegible]
1978	9,400	3,340	6,[illegible]

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	32	16
1966	NA	42	19
1967	NA	42	13
1968	NA	42	11
1969	NA	42	11
1970	NA	42	8
1971	NA	42	7
1972	3	42	10
1973	NA	51	14
1974	8	51	15
1975	NA	51	8
1976	5	51	16
1977	NA	51	11
1978	11	104	4
1979	NA	98	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 180	$ 0	115	0
1965 THRU 1969	50,295	20,325	550	675
1970 THRU 1974	90,015	10,100	353	10
1975 THRU 1979	656,500	20,350	280	557

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	38,705	$ 7,093,171
1966	38,416	5,808,943
1967	38,742	7,744,476
1968	38,928	7,177,668
1969	37,044	9,112,382
1970	38,486	8,514,000
1971	35,683	7,492,000
1972	34,443	8,996,000
1973	NA	11,195,000
1974	NA	13,518,000
1975	NA	15,054,000
1976	37,689	15,952,000
1977	37,455	17,133,000
1978	NA	24,691,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	740	226	146	NA
1966-67	784	219	147	NA
1967-68	768	220	154	42
1968-69	723	200	152	34
1969-70	729	181	146	37
1970-71	753	167	138	38
1971-72	743	163	146	38
1972-73	766	157	151	36
1973-74	775	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	787	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	922	558	397	33
1976-77	927	538	420	26
1977-78	1,070	537	440	22
1978-79	946	527	484	23

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	21	10	121	1
1969	35	8	124	2
1970	37	8	115	7
1971	39	17	100	6
1972	54	18	129	5
1973	42	7	139	NA
1974	40	11	201	9
1975	36	16	224	8
1976	42	20	230	3
1977	57	11	NA	8
1978	41	23	NA	5
1979	37	16	209	10

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	172.04
MUNICIPAL	10.34
TOTAL	182.38
SECONDARY	
RURAL	496.80
MUNICIPAL	55.96
TOTAL	552.76
PAVED	560.59
UNPAVED	174.55
TOTAL	735.14

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	7,926	330	259	15
1966	8,709	350	260	12
1967	9,456	354	251	17
1968	10,337	454	311	22
1969	11,221	515	318	20
1970	11,798	561	323	16
1971	13,204	696	424	19
1972	15,324	801	439	24
1973	17,599	781	530	24
1974	18,833	734	446	23
1975	19,870	677	455	9
1976	21,130	656	523	12
1977	21,625	673	442	11
1978	22,760	651	434	25
1979	24,283	638	374	9

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	5,789	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	5,874	NA	192	47
1967-68	6,096	315	179	53
1968-69	6,150	560	171	50
1969-70	6,280	1,005	181	57
1970-71	6,445	947	216	59
1971-72	7,016	1,192	217	44
1972-73	7,645	1,173	220	53
1973-74	7,926	954	250	25
1974-75	8,139	2,013	233	46
1975-76	8,201	1,687	251	61
1976-77	8,286	780	271	83
1977-78	8,158	998	294	82
1978-79	8,146	1,043	285	86
1979-80	8,248	697	317	91

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 20,752,834	$ 5,438,301	$ 3,517,129	$ 5,134,367	$ 1,527,034
1966-67	23,079,896	6,427,377	3,691,553	5,398,247	2,025,224
1967-68	26,464,004	7,562,121	4,086,360	5,999,566	2,496,487
1968-69	29,449,256	8,579,199	4,423,394	6,499,412	2,878,119
1969-70	32,408,259	9,205,971	5,554,546	7,239,264	3,154,265
1970-71	38,182,538	10,978,674	6,578,604	8,039,627	3,653,940
1971-72	45,519,005	13,078,403	7,901,057	9,116,924	4,920,508
1972-73	57,245,787	17,147,726	8,863,970	10,665,730	5,666,344
1973-74	68,938,459	20,956,253	9,735,719	11,457,974	7,279,171
1974-75	74,579,219	23,506,261	10,405,119	12,479,486	5,305,029
1975-76	78,856,227	25,176,531	14,734,017	13,438,593	5,252,375
1976-77	80,323,028	24,940,560	15,480,453	13,497,128	6,200,067
1977-78	88,180,572	26,603,341	17,297,721	13,094,461	8,648,666
1978-79	98,993,876	29,829,501	20,539,116	14,937,515	8,663,385

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 408,530.10
1966-67	492,823.60
1967-68	627,370.10
1968-69	616,748.10
1969-70	794,557.60
1970-71	1,200,591.00
1971-72	1,586,658.00
1972-73	2,214,240.70
1973-74	2,101,201.50
1974-75	2,099,812.80
1975-76	2,095,678.60
1976-77	2,211,838.80
1977-78	2,195,718.70
1978-79	2,408,238.20

Founded 1791

Buncombe

County Seat: Asheville
Elevation: 2,216 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Asheville, Biltmore Forest, Black Mountain, Jupiter, Montreat, Weaverville, Woodfin

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	410.6
WATER	2.4
TOTAL	413.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	251.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	78.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	34.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	130,074		
1970	145,056	0.2%	11715
1971	146,670	0.3	1035
1972	147,735	0.3	605
1973	148,397	0.1	481
1974	150,203	1.0	355
1975	150,946	0.3	324
1976	150,393	- 0.6	303
1977	151,947	0.8	324
1978	153,906	1.0	430

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,293
1971	3,533
1972	3,955
1973	4,451
1974	4,786
1975	5,037
1976	5,570
1977	6,121
1978	6,725

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	47,203
REPUBLICAN	16,248
OTHER	2,797
TOTAL	66,248

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	62,580	59,760	2,820	4.5%
1971	62,890	59,950	2,940	4.7
1972	66,570	64,450	2,120	3.2
1973	68,410	66,730	1,680	2.5
1974	69,460	66,760	2,700	3.9
1975	69,300	62,530	6,770	9.8
1976	69,100	65,080	4,020	5.8
1977	72,220	68,070	4,150	5.7
1978	72,310	69,630	2,680	3.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	53,640	20,130	33,510
1971	53,940	20,160	33,780
1972	58,320	22,400	35,920
1973	61,080	23,430	37,650
1974	62,080	22,680	39,400
1975	57,140	18,740	38,400
1976	59,530	19,490	40,040
1977	61,990	20,250	41,740
1978	65,010	20,750	44,260

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	566	83
1966	NA	632	69
1967	NA	704	61
1968	NA	704	65
1969	NA	702	51
1970	NA	658	52
1971	NA	683	64
1972	81	707	57
1973	NA	697	50
1974	84	697	48
1975	NA	789	29
1976	91	766	40
1977	NA	772	29
1978	110	772	26
1979	NA	763	26

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 12,098	$ 43,080	3,148	4,143
1965 THRU 1969	16,964	43,645	1,642	4,046
1970 THRU 1974	65,879	75,731	2,421	2,326
1975 THRU 1979	108,614	76,934	2,603	2,237

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	NA	$ 9,383,203
1966	NA	10,352,046
1967	NA	10,515,255
1968	NA	11,475,792
1969	41,051	11,678,029
1970	34,434	12,947,000
1971	29,679	11,175,000
1972	36,281	10,635,000
1973	27,776	13,338,000
1974	35,664	14,226,000
1975	41,181	16,513,000
1976	37,998	16,685,000
1977	NA	21,875,000
1978	NA	22,699,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,470	1,140	454	NA
1966-67	1,315	975	465	NA
1967-68	1,205	894	485	167
1968-69	1,195	853	491	162
1969-70	1,162	852	511	156
1970-71	1,289	797	511	152
1971-72	1,596	744	558	155
1972-73	1,897	697	595	132
1973-74	2,168	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,309	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,728	2,167	1,375	122
1976-77	2,942	1,940	1,406	116
1977-78	2,784	1,848	1,424	130
1978-79	2,663	1,828	1,522	129

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	283	45	415	71
1969	250	53	369	66
1970	197	58	337	58
1971	180	72	306	48
1972	289	60	315	48
1973	229	67	371	NA
1974	271	78	475	42
1975	208	86	607	19
1976	259	73	652	15
1977	230	53	NA	29
1978	156	86	NA	12
1979	198	76	636	10

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	180.39
MUNICIPAL	53.22
TOTAL	233.61
SECONDARY	
RURAL	949.08
MUNICIPAL	38.11
TOTAL	987.19
PAVED	852.88
UNPAVED	367.92
TOTAL	1,220.80

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	65,616	3,312	1,558	30
1966	70,724	3,555	1,508	43
1967	74,467	3,763	1,705	27
1968	75,412	3,873	1,704	25
1969	76,958	4,112	1,689	39
1970	79,009	4,195	1,790	31
1971	83,109	4,011	1,560	35
1972	88,750	3,948	1,758	26
1973	94,833	3,855	1,982	37
1974	97,783	3,881	1,841	34
1975	100,937	4,053	2,130	36
1976	106,739	4,292	2,084	34
1977	111,619	4,769	2,294	29
1978	117,270	4,856	2,224	24
1979	120,579	4,746	2,327	31

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

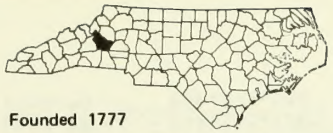
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	30,641	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	30,586	NA	1,453	503
1967-68	30,530	1,933	1,557	498
1968-69	30,490	1,845	1,696	539
1969-70	30,563	1,598	1,705	500
1970-71	30,498	2,604	1,827	525
1971-72	30,684	2,058	1,935	552
1972-73	30,534	2,553	2,070	522
1973-74	31,192	2,915	2,164	467
1974-75	31,339	2,994	2,197	549
1975-76	31,362	3,598	2,530	575
1976-77	31,855	4,571	2,529	624
1977-78	31,514	5,411	2,531	635
1978-79	31,030	4,463	2,584	630
1979-80	30,500	4,674	2,682	659

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 309,727,677	$ 66,128,033	$ 66,630,187	$ 44,320,144	$ 25,705,770
1966-67	332,486,683	70,793,343	83,144,539	46,499,267	27,278,642
1967-68	349,371,722	75,278,842	97,753,225	48,687,819	24,618,975
1968-69	377,822,713	87,820,269	96,251,308	52,131,719	28,955,369
1969-70	384,907,034	90,749,031	95,244,141	54,072,141	31,126,010
1970-71	400,971,572	95,718,386	95,234,953	53,702,540	33,685,133
1971-72	446,138,282	100,913,448	100,250,720	57,764,104	42,895,579
1972-73	514,694,913	112,930,295	118,925,740	66,317,591	48,800,515
1973-74	571,218,068	130,513,896	134,191,032	69,715,086	55,566,058
1974-75	579,099,099	146,099,967	126,649,647	76,927,598	52,754,154
1975-76	647,088,985	163,093,195	137,051,977	89,468,627	55,770,087
1976-77	710,408,958	172,292,126	149,332,977	107,506,247	58,636,898
1977-78	798,563,195	193,070,025	163,539,141	115,748,456	72,883,899
1978-79	906,898,666	215,392,078	183,419,182	136,045,411	89,918,842

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 6,831,873.60
1966-67	7,120,957.90
1967-68	7,440,705.20
1968-69	8,215,948.30
1969-70	8,633,764.40
1970-71	9,228,367.80
1971-72	10,235,185.30
1972-73	11,682,970.60
1973-74	13,062,552.40
1974-75	13,279,055.40
1975-76	14,536,075.70
1976-77	15,920,389.80
1977-78	17,816,783.70
1978-79	20,056,299.80



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Burke

County Seat: Morganton
Elevation: 1,182 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Drexel, Glen Alpine, Hickory (Part), Hildebran, Long View (Part), Morganton, Rhodhiss (Part), Rutherford College, Valdese

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	322.8
WATER	7.9
TOTAL	330.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	199.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	43.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	12.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	52,701		
1970	60,364	0.2%	6535
1971	61,684	0.8	712
1972	62,454	0.3	585
1973	64,300	2.1	526
1974	64,736	- 0.1	500
1975	64,749	- 0.7	462
1976	64,361	- 1.2	367
1977	63,991	- 1.2	387
1978	64,143	- 0.4	412

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,309
1971	3,612
1972	3,938
1973	4,253
1974	4,585
1975	4,823
1976	5,391
1977	5,952
1978	6,606

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	20,448
REPUBLICAN	10,579
OTHER	1,674
TOTAL	32,701

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	29,140	27,740	1,400	4.8%
1971	29,910	28,500	1,410	4.7
1972	30,160	29,150	1,010	3.3
1973	30,710	29,990	720	2.3
1974	31,190	29,940	1,250	4.0
1975	31,130	27,970	3,160	10.2
1976	30,690	28,240	2,450	8.0
1977	30,340	28,390	1,950	6.4
1978	31,040	29,720	1,320	4.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	26,660	17,520	9,140
1971	27,490	18,220	9,270
1972	27,840	18,390	9,450
1973	28,930	18,680	10,250
1974	29,500	18,280	11,220
1975	27,280	16,360	10,920
1976	27,670	16,100	11,570
1977	27,940	15,870	12,070
1978	29,480	16,230	13,250

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	269	23
1966	NA	247	25
1967	NA	247	15
1968	NA	256	20
1969	NA	256	22
1970	NA	256	28
1971	NA	256	22
1972	23	256	18
1973	NA	256	15
1974	28	320	19
1975	NA	320	18
1976	33	336	17
1977	NA	332	4
1978	48	332	10
1979	NA	346	15

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 5,419	$ 10,203	935	946
1965 THRU 1969	12,375	15,794	2,132	1,280
1970 THRU 1974	22,635	17,412	650	1,454
1975 THRU 1979	43,588	35,620	1,769	857

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	27,429	$ 2,466,632
1966	26,470	2,370,234
1967	27,831	2,407,124
1968	25,509	2,547,097
1969	22,821	3,272,053
1970	21,320	2,431,000
1971	19,988	2,399,000
1972	20,177	2,768,000
1973	17,848	4,142,000
1974	15,379	4,160,000
1975	14,526	4,538,000
1976	19,239	7,974,000
1977	17,990	8,744,000
1978	NA	10,460,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	593	370	198	NA
1966-67	423	333	176	NA
1967-68	374	309	177	44
1968-69	361	293	175	45
1969-70	415	280	172	51
1970-71	475	272	190	51
1971-72	503	255	198	45
1972-73	460	236	189	37
1973-74	466	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	614	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	843	659	731	51
1976-77	896	634	816	47
1977-78	929	609	878	48
1978-79	902	584	882	38

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	89	23	167	15
1969	78	30	155	22
1970	124	20	178	30
1971	81	17	183	21
1972	72	17	176	10
1973	69	16	178	NA
1974	83	24	236	20
1975	73	34	261	10
1976	89	39	229	9
1977	81	24	NA	12
1978	77	23	NA	13
1979	69	38	198	11

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	128.44
MUNICIPAL	22.12
TOTAL	150.56
SECONDARY	
RURAL	627.13
MUNICIPAL	44.08
TOTAL	671.21
PAVED	578.29
UNPAVED	243.48
TOTAL	821.77

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	24,268	1,122	521	20
1966	26,138	1,195	577	25
1967	27,443	1,261	594	31
1968	29,357	1,326	546	20
1969	30,710	1,428	552	24
1970	31,655	1,544	652	27
1971	33,653	1,621	638	21
1972	36,148	1,553	694	22
1973	38,680	1,566	849	30
1974	40,024	1,445	743	28
1975	41,179	1,438	776	20
1976	43,931	1,537	789	22
1977	45,369	1,699	798	15
1978	46,885	1,697	857	21
1979	49,202	1,641	838	11

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	12,741	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	12,702	NA	411	261
1967-68	12,969	1,103	426	199
1968-69	13,135	1,821	465	193
1969-70	13,348	2,823	434	173
1970-71	13,560	2,406	486	193
1971-72	13,710	2,477	519	178
1972-73	13,805	3,350	539	147
1973-74	14,026	3,731	537	147
1974-75	14,139	3,910	562	151
1975-76	14,285	4,004	602	155
1976-77	14,303	3,851	588	175
1977-78	14,212	4,493	593	203
1978-79	13,971	4,254	584	273
1979-80	13,875	4,919	612	282

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 66,788,907	$ 20,285,584	$ 8,721,731	$ 12,872,625	$ 6,596,711
1966-67	69,658,688	21,593,399	9,077,099	14,044,476	6,040,040
1967-68	76,981,723	24,566,931	9,934,520	15,247,015	6,298,469
1968-69	84,477,142	25,044,182	10,630,405	17,166,102	7,018,027
1969-70	90,845,218	29,519,921	11,555,313	16,748,856	7,021,675
1970-71	98,034,225	30,038,994	13,956,003	18,050,023	8,571,894
1971-72	111,579,968	33,139,190	15,705,526	21,499,788	10,437,961
1972-73	126,629,876	36,088,232	17,218,936	24,216,712	14,030,612
1973-74	143,669,997	40,421,234	19,013,009	29,118,816	17,640,787
1974-75	146,680,841	50,695,049	19,099,627	30,987,466	13,040,599
1975-76	170,026,585	51,341,112	22,014,336	32,709,672	15,830,228
1976-77	180,942,187	60,736,756	21,835,169	36,198,272	16,659,291
1977-78	205,081,953	67,658,271	24,933,137	38,644,272	20,195,504
1978-79	226,897,818	72,369,098	28,895,143	44,869,459	24,078,170

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,503,147.90
1966-67	1,574,611.40
1967-68	1,707,215.40
1968-69	1,891,304.80
1969-70	2,085,434.10
1970-71	2,292,263.00
1971-72	2,579,805.60
1972-73	2,845,080.20
1973-74	3,199,021.90
1974-75	3,234,253.40
1975-76	3,596,390.70
1976-77	3,818,374.90
1977-78	4,371,800.20
1978-79	4,781,524.40

Founded 1792

Cabarrus

County Seat: Concord
Elevation: 704 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Concord, Harrisburg, Mount Pleasant

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	229.7
WATER	0.7
TOTAL	230.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	99.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	89.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	32.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	68,137		
1970	74,629	- 0.1%	7550
1971	76,048	0.6	871
1972	76,281	- 0.4	575
1973	77,273	0.7	470
1974	78,145	0.6	384
1975	78,548	0.1	338
1976	78,123	- 0.9	306
1977	78,994	0.8	277
1978	79,750	0.6	274

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,563
1971	3,680
1972	4,077
1973	4,393
1974	4,684
1975	4,981
1976	5,594
1977	6,163
1978	6,881

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	23,195
REPUBLICAN	9,420
OTHER	980
TOTAL	33,595

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	36,830	36,110	720	2.0%
1971	37,070	35,940	1,130	3.0
1972	37,710	36,720	990	2.6
1973	37,710	36,590	1,120	3.0
1974	35,980	34,600	1,380	3.8
1975	36,040	33,330	2,710	7.5
1976	36,690	34,970	1,720	4.7
1977	37,860	36,350	1,510	4.0
1978	38,430	37,260	1,170	3.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	38,210	26,400	11,810
1971	37,350	25,570	11,780
1972	36,860	25,220	11,640
1973	35,570	23,160	12,410
1974	34,090	21,450	12,640
1975	32,390	19,580	12,810
1976	34,150	20,350	13,800
1977	36,310	21,870	14,440
1978	37,040	21,600	15,440

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	250	25
1966	NA	197	31
1967	NA	197	36
1968	NA	201	34
1969	NA	200	29
1970	NA	200	25
1971	NA	200	19
1972	27	200	22
1973	NA	358	27
1974	27	358	11
1975	NA	528	14
1976	30	404	9
1977	NA	430	11
1978	30	440	13
1979	NA	337	16

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,920	$ 18,646	945	1,290
1965 THRU 1969	4,363	25,716	446	1,199
1970 THRU 1974	600	15,292	200	80
1975 THRU 1979	465,320	15,406	2,310	290

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	56,253	$5,429,649
1966	56,918	6,041,356
1967	56,650	6,205,083
1968	55,505	6,510,729
1969	52,902	7,789,989
1970	54,712	5,432,000
1971	53,606	4,962,000
1972	51,582	5,393,000
1973	53,827	7,511,000
1974	47,832	7,007,000
1975	56,368	6,936,000
1976	55,784	7,923,000
1977	54,074	7,197,000
1978	NA	8,579,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	548	487	269	NA
1966-67	468	432	265	NA
1967-68	497	407	264	50
1968-69	511	380	266	50
1969-70	607	380	259	50
1970-71	847	374	289	45
1971-72	1,119	384	332	48
1972-73	1,219	352	355	41
1973-74	1,523	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,985	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,281	798	723	43
1976-77	2,110	721	713	38
1977-78	1,988	709	708	36
1978-79	1,720	676	711	34

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	187	27	394	50
1969	164	27	440	42
1970	170	34	412	42
1971	195	37	404	44
1972	221	47	414	33
1973	205	36	400	NA
1974	241	41	501	21
1975	234	73	476	17
1976	243	61	532	18
1977	228	70	NA	15
1978	201	80	NA	10
1979	242	74	467	10

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	108.17
MUNICIPAL	14.28
TOTAL	122.45
SECONDARY	
RURAL	771.00
MUNICIPAL	13.18
TOTAL	784.18
PAVED	777.59
UNPAVED	129.04
TOTAL	906.63

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	39,721	1,809	919	17
1966	42,737	2,008	948	32
1967	43,960	1,904	892	25
1968	45,897	2,073	892	22
1969	46,994	2,167	1,005	22
1970	48,834	2,335	1,056	8
1971	51,537	2,249	982	17
1972	54,892	1,854	950	32
1973	58,334	1,732	987	20
1974	59,477	1,658	839	16
1975	60,982	1,730	1,035	11
1976	64,391	1,977	1,199	12
1977	67,209	2,051	1,203	6
1978	70,587	2,255	1,181	24
1979	73,326	2,159	1,204	15

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

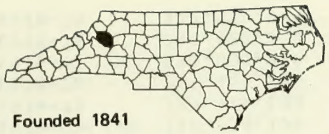
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	18,275	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	18,283	NA	608	386
1967-68	18,442	793	650	415
1968-69	18,440	716	674	383
1969-70	18,442	1,067	757	347
1970-71	18,410	1,476	835	345
1971-72	18,282	1,153	859	338
1972-73	18,218	1,781	871	353
1973-74	18,540	1,898	885	313
1974-75	18,768	2,635	933	297
1975-76	18,948	2,670	970	312
1976-77	19,200	2,396	951	411
1977-78	18,980	2,739	965	359
1978-79	18,766	2,624	969	317
1979-80	18,689	3,295	981	338

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 116,830,744	$ 31,169,660	$ 21,262,338	$ 21,597,075	$ 5,629,981
1966-67	121,313,536	33,584,171	23,579,340	21,901,873	6,241,680
1967-68	128,203,116	34,342,865	25,409,182	23,570,356	5,776,520
1968-69	136,863,951	34,179,523	26,961,605	26,491,355	6,031,896
1969-70	148,360,721	37,403,017	32,964,096	27,058,329	5,989,593
1970-71	154,779,562	40,576,559	35,544,425	26,589,724	6,077,595
1971-72	174,758,377	45,650,378	38,008,251	29,019,401	6,266,598
1972-73	200,193,103	51,196,451	40,526,891	32,117,793	7,843,301
1973-74	210,358,124	57,792,939	40,915,122	33,349,571	9,977,317
1974-75	207,416,139	60,678,102	42,401,665	33,834,579	8,588,814
1975-76	245,423,280	68,152,523	50,653,028	39,659,754	10,013,409
1976-77	270,000,826	70,564,334	51,672,121	46,045,197	11,905,920
1977-78	290,922,202	73,230,347	56,830,931	49,025,106	13,606,067
1978-79	323,922,924	84,480,834	63,845,806	52,116,764	17,180,120

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,859,744.70
1966-67	3,009,477.90
1967-68	3,112,959.00
1968-69	3,314,852.10
1969-70	3,610,117.70
1970-71	3,812,599.70
1971-72	4,283,979.40
1972-73	4,906,883.20
1973-74	5,101,359.70
1974-75	5,109,494.80
1975-76	5,888,860.70
1976-77	6,377,322.00
1977-78	6,944,755.60
1978-79	7,709,024.10



Founded 1841

Caldwell

County Seat: Lenoir
Elevation: 1,182 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Blowing Rock (Part), Granite Falls, Hudson, Lenoir, Rhodhiss (Part)

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	304.0
WATER	2.8
TOTAL	306.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	175.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	48.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	20.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	49,552		
1970	56,699	- 0.2%	8158
1971	57,131	- 0.7	942
1972	57,639	- 0.3	659
1973	59,132	1.6	555
1974	60,072	0.7	545
1975	60,373	- 0.3	497
1976	60,257	- 0.9	422
1977	60,461	- 0.4	422
1978	61,107	0.3	450

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,061
1971	3,414
1972	3,877
1973	4,199
1974	4,388
1975	4,580
1976	5,277
1977	6,049
1978	6,435

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	15,970
REPUBLICAN	10,689
OTHER	2,122
TOTAL	28,781

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	25,700	24,410	1,290	5.0%
1971	26,720	25,340	1,380	5.2
1972	28,340	27,390	950	3.4
1973	28,920	28,080	840	2.9
1974	29,230	27,790	1,440	4.9
1975	29,310	25,950	3,360	11.5
1976	30,560	28,760	1,800	5.9
1977	30,170	28,610	1,560	5.2
1978	32,460	31,250	1,210	3.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	20,310	13,090	7,220
1971	21,180	13,650	7,530
1972	22,670	15,020	7,650
1973	23,460	15,440	8,020
1974	23,670	16,110	7,560
1975	21,900	13,970	7,930
1976	24,390	15,700	8,690
1977	24,350	15,630	8,720
1978	26,750	17,330	9,420

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	174	44
1966	NA	245	40
1967	NA	249	36
1968	NA	247	44
1969	NA	236	41
1970	NA	236	31
1971	NA	183	27
1972	17	179	28
1973	NA	170	26
1974	17	170	22
1975	NA	168	20
1976	21	168	16
1977	NA	168	12
1978	22	168	11
1979	NA	165	13

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 3,181	$ 7,278	421	1,544
1965 THRU 1969	5,445	12,778	672	1,069
1970 THRU 1974	3,386	4,817	498	309
1975 THRU 1979	32,769	17,999	805	745

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	NA	$ 5,593,114
1966	31,388	7,254,941
1967	22,112	7,566,795
1968	24,580	8,223,439
1969	30,041	8,951,786
1970	26,108	7,608,000
1971	23,063	7,318,000
1972	21,328	6,936,000
1973	22,555	10,557,000
1974	24,047	10,033,000
1975	22,123	10,880,000
1976	NA	10,828,000
1977	NA	10,935,000
1978	NA	12,151,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	813	348	175	NA
1966-67	757	336	202	NA
1967-68	673	315	209	41
1968-69	553	298	189	35
1969-70	598	297	188	35
1970-71	748	287	188	36
1971-72	736	273	199	34
1972-73	638	243	199	31
1973-74	705	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	927	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,035	599	515	23
1976-77	945	539	492	20
1977-78	733	524	500	19
1978-79	662	497	538	16

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	140	32	210	22
1969	114	37	204	33
1970	98	38	200	21
1971	112	39	267	14
1972	77	43	298	17
1973	94	40	294	NA
1974	50	54	292	13
1975	57	53	276	5
1976	67	43	246	12
1977	73	40	NA	22
1978	74	39	NA	10
1979	81	34	222	15

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	101.39
MUNICIPAL	23.68
TOTAL	125.07
SECONDARY	
RURAL	543.41
MUNICIPAL	20.28
TOTAL	563.69
PAVED	416.52
UNPAVED	272.24
TOTAL	688.76

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	24,370	1,306	653	22
1966	26,047	1,397	748	20
1967	27,522	1,236	612	24
1968	29,584	1,427	656	14
1969	30,909	1,557	734	14
1970	31,579	1,413	637	19
1971	33,827	1,655	778	13
1972	36,716	1,656	843	15
1973	39,770	1,635	877	15
1974	40,911	1,504	761	18
1975	41,650	1,602	843	9
1976	44,752	1,944	1,038	15
1977	46,827	2,042	1,098	17
1978	49,472	2,162	1,124	13
1979	50,678	2,025	1,183	22

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	13,776	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	13,859	NA	353	210
1967-68	14,024	1,090	367	188
1968-69	14,072	2,086	381	164
1969-70	14,172	2,324	454	123
1970-71	14,234	3,023	427	147
1971-72	14,416	2,489	492	151
1972-73	14,432	3,386	445	157
1973-74	14,743	3,037	479	143
1974-75	14,882	3,292	492	151
1975-76	15,084	3,392	506	136
1976-77	15,484	3,281	500	137
1977-78	15,300	2,899	490	161
1978-79	14,970	3,342	511	177
1979-80	14,773	3,555	496	180

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 72,761,321	$ 19,824,814	$ 8,447,818	$ 13,675,989	$ 6,876,178
1966-67	77,404,811	21,527,192	9,580,437	15,287,856	6,451,056
1967-68	82,298,906	22,775,043	10,623,117	16,850,587	6,363,501
1968-69	95,575,028	24,376,452	13,165,770	18,905,770	8,904,008
1969-70	100,491,990	26,773,266	14,444,117	19,651,033	8,152,130
1970-71	105,378,737	29,164,631	15,257,406	18,965,062	10,355,779
1971-72	123,749,932	31,982,660	17,784,313	20,980,012	13,769,007
1972-73	138,552,805	36,290,851	19,279,964	22,289,701	12,716,532
1973-74	147,233,559	41,494,087	21,402,012	22,832,860	13,452,279
1974-75	145,123,265	46,670,598	19,501,354	23,650,023	10,986,724
1975-76	169,545,436	49,531,634	21,111,173	31,307,911	9,979,612
1976-77	188,445,936	51,498,567	23,266,352	35,263,499	11,691,088
1977-78	208,066,585	57,084,223	26,954,276	37,477,732	13,052,754
1978-79	232,487,872	65,362,625	32,097,355	43,336,502	14,744,744

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,558,442.00
1966-67	1,642,752.60
1967-68	1,762,343.50
1968-69	2,002,720.30
1969-70	2,202,349.50
1970-71	2,343,383.10
1971-72	2,679,015.90
1972-73	3,009,125.30
1973-74	3,173,132.00
1974-75	3,165,451.60
1975-76	3,589,030.00
1976-77	3,954,055.40
1977-78	4,270,600.50
1978-79	4,781,331.30

Founded 1777

Camden

County Seat: Camden
Elevation: 10 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: None

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	152.5
WATER	49.9
TOTAL	202.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	107.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	39.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	1.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	5,598		
1970	5,453	- 1.2%	517
1971	5,534	0.7	33
1972	5,558	- 0.1	27
1973	5,786	3.7	20
1974	5,764	- 0.9	29
1975	5,839	1.0	16
1976	5,675	- 2.9	5
1977	5,711	0.6	3
1978	5,788	1.1	15

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,380
1971	2,213
1972	2,773
1973	3,859
1974	4,378
1975	3,847
1976	4,840
1977	4,831
1978	5,459

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	2,583
REPUBLICAN	73
OTHER	10
TOTAL	2,666

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	2,130	1,990	140	6.6%
1971	2,170	2,030	140	6.5
1972	2,210	2,070	140	6.3
1973	2,230	2,140	90	4.0
1974	2,190	2,100	90	4.1
1975	2,330	2,180	150	6.4
1976	2,330	2,230	100	4.3
1977	2,400	2,260	140	5.8
1978	2,370	2,260	110	4.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	310	20	290
1971	360	30	330
1972	340	30	310
1973	360	40	320
1974	380	60	320
1975	400	40	360
1976	420	40	380
1977	450	40	410
1978	530	40	490

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	4
1966	NA	0	3
1967	NA	0	5
1968	NA	0	1
1969	NA	0	3
1970	NA	0	3
1971	NA	0	3
1972	2	0	0
1973	NA	0	0
1974	0	0	0
1975	NA	0	0
1976	4	0	1
1977	NA	0	0
1978	1	0	4
1979	NA	0	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 0	0	0
1965 THRU 1969	0	0	0	0
1970 THRU 1974	0	0	0	0
1975 THRU 1979	0	0	0	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	36,650	$ 4,710,602
1966	36,461	3,953,915
1967	36,420	4,135,691
1968	37,240	4,070,482
1969	38,800	4,612,693
1970	40,872	5,606,000
1971	39,034	4,427,000
1972	41,846	6,409,000
1973	41,257	11,068,000
1974	40,812	14,328,000
1975	41,737	11,023,000
1976	44,071	13,637,000
1977	44,051	12,977,000
1978	NA	11,708,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	93	72	33	NA
1966-67	103	69	30	NA
1967-68	120	63	26	11
1968-69	116	57	26	12
1969-70	126	57	30	10
1970-71	119	53	30	11
1971-72	127	40	31	13
1972-73	107	37	29	7
1973-74	120	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	112	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	159	120	66	8
1976-77	187	101	69	7
1977-78	217	99	69	7
1978-79	248	90	63	4

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	7	0	19	0
1969	10	2	19	0
1970	6	3	16	0
1971	10	3	14	0
1972	7	3	11	0
1973	5	2	12	NA
1974	3	7	14	0
1975	5	4	18	0
1976	8	8	25	1
1977	8	8	NA	0
1978	10	10	NA	0
1979	12	10	29	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	44.28
MUNICIPAL	0.04
TOTAL	44.32
SECONDARY	
RURAL	148.48
MUNICIPAL	0.00
TOTAL	148.48
PAVED	136.72
UNPAVED	56.08
TOTAL	192.80

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	2,155	82	32	4
1966	2,201	88	29	3
1967	2,305	96	41	2
1968	2,423	78	19	1
1969	2,477	91	62	4
1970	2,559	106	29	6
1971	2,769	125	49	2
1972	2,910	107	52	3
1973	3,189	119	86	1
1974	3,328	108	102	1
1975	3,548	118	64	3
1976	3,724	134	86	7
1977	3,931	144	70	0
1978	4,184	131	80	3
1979	4,289	147	90	2

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall)	
			Public	Private
1965-66	1,508	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,484	NA	35	11
1967-68	1,484	156	36	12
1968-69	1,502	226	30	19
1969-70	1,494	117	53	23
1970-71	1,510	204	37	19
1971-72	1,521	144	47	16
1972-73	1,523	272	60	15
1973-74	1,598	219	63	7
1974-75	1,548	257	64	16
1975-76	1,506	370	79	17
1976-77	1,508	312	91	14
1977-78	1,485	246	94	16
1978-79	1,425	279	97	11
1979-80	1,336	313	107	12

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 2,188,897	$ 861,171	$ 78,224	$ 973,178	$ 21,263
1966-67	2,525,986	948,734	33,180	947,553	80,257
1967-68	2,632,122	882,054	28,900	1,112,307	33,550
1968-69	2,900,651	930,571	27,728	1,241,540	44,109
1969-70	3,069,057	1,025,796	23,370	1,431,227	39,409
1970-71	3,353,303	1,049,476	24,886	1,629,014	38,422
1971-72	3,707,332	1,129,378	61,896	1,558,445	49,594
1972-73	4,486,786	1,182,063	51,960	1,556,223	55,737
1973-74	4,775,769	1,396,716	96,447	1,648,988	134,003
1974-75	5,018,320	1,356,233	105,679	1,980,478	147,085
1975-76	6,789,313	1,177,493	86,612	1,967,656	400,046
1976-77	8,711,185	1,163,622	88,188	2,017,451	494,913
1977-78	9,718,066	1,479,224	100,252	2,011,431	544,193
1978-79	10,195,494	2,055,300	130,324	1,845,308	737,903

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 38,269.70
1966-67	42,717.30
1967-68	45,258.20
1968-69	50,113.70
1969-70	52,755.90
1970-71	59,827.00
1971-72	68,448.50
1972-73	83,913.90
1973-74	78,747.30
1974-75	88,329.40
1975-76	133,887.40
1976-77	184,025.90
1977-78	199,591.40
1978-79	208,028.90

Founded 1722

Carteret

County Seat: Beaufort
Elevation: 9 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Atlantic, Atlantic Beach, Beaufort, Cape Carteret, Emerald Isle, Indian Beach, Morehead City, Newport, Pine Knoll Shores

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	338.8
WATER	342.3
TOTAL	681.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	163.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	20.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	6.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	30,940		
1970	31,603	0.3%	3217
1971	32,487	1.3	364
1972	32,788	0.0	289
1973	34,016	2.9	261
1974	34,741	1.4	257
1975	35,632	1.9	246
1976	36,421	1.5	250
1977	36,908	0.7	244
1978	37,300	0.4	256

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,624
1971	2,858
1972	3,206
1973	3,622
1974	3,929
1975	4,323
1976	4,734
1977	5,217
1978	5,939

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	13,051
REPUBLICAN	5,117
OTHER	999
TOTAL	19,167

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	12,230	11,610	620	5.1%
1971	12,120	11,370	750	6.2
1972	12,900	12,030	870	6.7
1973	14,010	13,220	790	5.6
1974	13,940	13,170	770	5.5
1975	14,760	13,680	1,080	7.3
1976	15,750	14,700	1,050	6.7
1977	16,340	15,190	1,150	7.0
1978	17,610	16,620	990	5.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	7,020	1,610	5,410
1971	6,940	1,430	5,510
1972	7,360	1,580	5,780
1973	8,260	1,740	6,520
1974	8,310	1,790	6,520
1975	8,440	1,740	6,700
1976	9,240	2,010	7,230
1977	9,620	2,080	7,540
1978	10,530	2,210	8,320

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	156	21
1966	NA	158	12
1967	NA	158	9
1968	NA	184	7
1969	NA	190	16
1970	NA	188	12
1971	NA	182	11
1972	7	182	10
1973	NA	176	12
1974	6	176	16
1975	NA	176	12
1976	13	197	12
1977	NA	197	18
1978	13	200	9
1979	NA	196	10

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 592	$ 598	149	215
1965 THRU 1969	3,095	1,640	387	377
1970 THRU 1974	835	1,683	243	270
1975 THRU 1979	2,735	1,252	252	370

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	15,038	$ 4,970,650
1966	15,594	4,090,193
1967	15,381	4,708,107
1968	15,387	4,821,441
1969	14,590	4,476,617
1970	16,408	3,201,000
1971	14,942	3,040,000
1972	14,932	3,466,000
1973	NA	5,341,000
1974	NA	5,638,000
1975	11,236	5,984,000
1976	15,280	5,738,000
1977	20,630	6,865,000
1978	NA	6,420,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	484	269	161	NA
1966-67	390	256	152	NA
1967-68	353	243	154	29
1968-69	341	225	150	19
1969-70	412	219	149	16
1970-71	547	196	138	16
1971-72	636	172	143	20
1972-73	599	155	144	18
1973-74	621	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	869	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,053	413	293	14
1976-77	1,134	399	305	13
1977-78	1,098	401	320	19
1978-79	1,051	380	375	15

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	30	4	62	14
1969	36	8	113	8
1970	37	10	122	11
1971	42	2	134	10
1972	52	9	179	5
1973	92	11	250	NA
1974	94	22	304	12
1975	78	32	292	4
1976	109	21	327	8
1977	65	25	NA	5
1978	65	30	NA	12
1979	47	22	261	4

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	98.37
MUNICIPAL	26.28
TOTAL	124.65
SECONDARY	
RURAL	234.90
MUNICIPAL	17.99
TOTAL	252.89
PAVED	321.11
UNPAVED	56.43
TOTAL	377.54

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	11,937	528	325	13
1966	12,607	611	290	18
1967	13,381	654	285	11
1968	14,343	656	312	14
1969	14,966	785	392	16
1970	15,588	820	422	10
1971	16,566	928	492	13
1972	18,030	850	470	19
1973	19,488	843	417	23
1974	20,403	729	469	13
1975	21,635	819	511	8
1976	23,651	950	568	8
1977	24,876	1,038	574	7
1978	26,124	1,022	610	8
1979	27,274	1,032	626	13

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	7,273	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	7,256	NA	285	122
1967-68	7,309	918	292	132
1968-69	7,303	929	308	147
1969-70	7,445	1,084	296	140
1970-71	7,543	1,252	357	151
1971-72	7,435	1,144	377	124
1972-73	7,383	1,240	378	87
1973-74	7,458	1,514	372	84
1974-75	7,510	1,645	407	101
1975-76	7,611	2,095	411	91
1976-77	7,854	1,855	400	96
1977-78	7,891	1,843	400	91
1978-79	7,729	1,732	397	108
1979-80	7,514	1,845	397	104

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 40,028,938	$ 12,516,303	$ 6,113,842	$ 7,755,163	$ 2,582,046
1966-67	43,728,644	13,725,075	6,703,236	8,087,693	2,946,522
1967-68	46,950,787	14,909,647	7,527,023	8,460,815	3,234,591
1968-69	52,713,779	16,377,436	8,002,358	9,045,120	3,989,191
1969-70	57,375,570	18,283,467	8,547,106	10,481,907	4,482,930
1970-71	61,820,306	20,323,372	8,838,311	10,724,955	5,303,380
1971-72	75,616,348	22,953,183	11,561,295	11,992,054	7,568,873
1972-73	87,968,452	25,925,066	13,434,130	13,514,953	8,981,634
1973-74	102,689,782	30,753,092	15,518,949	15,470,562	10,151,178
1974-75	109,008,972	35,762,775	16,572,181	16,533,694	8,889,842
1975-76	123,512,812	40,522,272	19,031,347	18,172,474	7,680,846
1976-77	135,799,603	43,417,839	20,592,094	19,968,894	8,984,158
1977-78	154,062,739	49,989,356	22,881,300	23,904,487	9,826,106
1978-79	174,191,722	58,193,859	26,483,868	22,650,706	11,512,447

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 898,573.90
1966-67	974,957.20
1967-68	1,047,383.70
1968-69	1,183,874.20
1969-70	1,139,139.80
1970-71	1,422,317.60
1971-72	1,722,955.20
1972-73	2,015,820.20
1973-74	2,335,548.80
1974-75	2,492,277.10
1975-76	2,839,874.10
1976-77	3,099,706.10
1977-78	3,565,019.70
1978-79	3,971,376.50

Founded 1777

Caswell

County Seat: Yanceyville
Elevation: 619 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Milton

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	277.3
WATER	0.9
TOTAL	278.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	179.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	84.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	5.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	19,912		
1970	19,055	- 1.4%	1956
1971	19,199	- 0.2	198
1972	19,188	- 0.7	114
1973	19,657	2.0	90
1974	19,641	- 0.6	102
1975	19,727	- 0.1	110
1976	19,668	- 0.8	94
1977	19,417	- 1.7	83
1978	19,385	- 0.5	64

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,402
1971	2,587
1972	2,848
1973	3,242
1974	3,638
1975	3,600
1976	4,157
1977	4,340
1978	4,832

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	7,111
REPUBLICAN	497
OTHER	96
TOTAL	7,704

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	7,830	7,560	270	3.4%
1971	8,020	7,620	400	5.0
1972	8,120	7,740	380	4.7
1973	8,270	8,020	250	3.0
1974	8,100	7,710	390	4.8
1975	7,230	6,600	630	8.7
1976	7,340	6,790	550	7.5
1977	7,060	6,620	440	6.2
1978	7,340	6,960	380	5.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,330	1,140	1,190
1971	2,400	1,190	1,210
1972	2,410	1,190	1,220
1973	2,490	1,300	1,190
1974	2,470	1,290	1,180
1975	2,100	910	1,190
1976	2,160	930	1,230
1977	2,140	950	1,190
1978	2,460	940	1,520

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	12
1966	NA	0	8
1967	NA	0	8
1968	NA	0	7
1969	NA	0	5
1970	NA	0	10
1971	NA	0	11
1972	1	0	5
1973	NA	0	7
1974	0	0	4
1975	NA	0	12
1976	1	0	3
1977	NA	0	3
1978	1	0	6
1979	NA	0	4

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 503	$ 775	52	54
1965 THRU 1969	7,355	3,398	145	380
1970 THRU 1974	23	150	38	0
1975 THRU 1979	140	2,850	17	15

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	70,336	$ 11,808,051
1966	69,841	11,933,830
1967	71,220	12,481,856
1968	71,960	11,499,425
1969	69,194	15,491,678
1970	70,008	12,275,000
1971	68,764	12,648,000
1972	65,861	12,179,000
1973	61,642	16,481,000
1974	58,042	18,877,000
1975	54,041	17,207,000
1976	59,581	23,059,000
1977	59,413	19,217,000
1978	NA	22,057,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	651	193	118	NA
1966-67	695	192	125	NA
1967-68	758	183	130	20
1968-69	706	172	130	23
1969-70	788	181	134	25
1970-71	1,001	190	140	24
1971-72	1,036	196	169	23
1972-73	919	170	188	26
1973-74	815	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	827	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	853	387	330	18
1976-77	927	368	336	14
1977-78	921	358	336	12
1978-79	807	350	357	11

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	38	3	79	5
1969	40	3	67	5
1970	31	6	101	4
1971	53	6	113	8
1972	26	7	90	4
1973	37	8	101	NA
1974	53	5	113	0
1975	26	6	108	7
1976	39	14	110	0
1977	19	13	NA	3
1978	13	7	NA	2
1979	30	12	138	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	121.32
MUNICIPAL	1.18
TOTAL	122.50
SECONDARY	
RURAL	499.15
MUNICIPAL	0.00
TOTAL	499.15
PAVED	451.10
UNPAVED	170.55
TOTAL	621.65

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	5,733	288	188	9
1966	5,916	287	213	9
1967	6,353	296	184	11
1968	6,777	310	184	6
1969	7,068	321	135	17
1970	7,187	373	186	13
1971	7,630	376	176	11
1972	8,299	415	220	14
1973	8,863	392	230	6
1974	9,234	410	236	11
1975	9,429	464	266	5
1976	10,114	438	259	6
1977	10,511	440	220	11
1978	10,992	523	294	13
1979	11,456	486	264	7

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall)	
			Public	Private
1965-66	5,559	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	5,431	NA	97	66
1967-68	5,385	140	96	69
1968-69	5,387	124	112	66
1969-70	5,121	244	120	72
1970-71	5,056	203	148	43
1971-72	5,069	288	158	51
1972-73	5,025	238	164	62
1973-74	4,926	333	137	62
1974-75	4,903	499	153	76
1975-76	4,963	560	150	72
1976-77	4,941	507	156	72
1977-78	4,840	415	182	64
1978-79	4,677	616	167	56
1979-80	4,598	334	192	48

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 9,373,094	$ 3,010,570	$ 883,160	$ 3,016,700	$ 144,313
1966-67	10,107,144	3,249,077	1,060,246	3,148,593	245,685
1967-68	10,772,152	3,578,630	1,058,435	3,453,765	206,152
1968-69	11,882,358	3,896,162	1,106,854	4,046,177	163,491
1969-70	12,325,614	4,033,640	1,187,534	4,297,776	172,090
1970-71	12,616,480	4,098,617	1,385,767	4,297,525	312,493
1971-72	14,572,149	4,460,534	1,330,099	4,434,490	348,568
1972-73	15,399,812	4,998,090	1,493,254	4,262,957	178,722
1973-74	17,334,194	5,572,313	1,790,205	4,533,884	230,752
1974-75	19,264,209	6,595,300	1,891,646	4,617,207	251,090
1975-76	21,582,960	7,261,677	1,997,206	5,109,557	375,949
1976-77	23,923,284	7,681,413	2,210,350	6,013,614	369,594
1977-78	24,398,148	8,228,336	2,282,563	6,196,820	516,481
1978-79	26,828,213	9,627,896	2,515,339	6,011,375	699,347

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 166,809.50
1966-67	184,354.00
1967-68	198,682.10
1968-69	221,708.10
1969-70	233,831.90
1970-71	246,308.00
1971-72	284,502.00
1972-73	292,871.30
1973-74	321,439.00
1974-75	329,322.70
1975-76	361,847.90
1976-77	400,287.70
1977-78	439,269.00
1978-79	489,004.20

Founded 1842

Catawba

County Seat: Newton
Elevation: 996 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Brookford, Catawba, Claremont, Conover, Hickory (Part), Long View (Part), Maiden (Part), Newton

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	252.6
WATER	12.1
TOTAL	264.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	123.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	86.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	26.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	73,191		
1970	90,873	0.8%	10843
1971	93,051	0.8	1320
1972	94,399	0.4	946
1973	96,746	1.6	824
1974	98,261	0.8	772
1975	98,735	- 0.3	747
1976	98,455	- 1.0	708
1977	99,613	0.5	705
1978	101,017	0.7	697

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,654
1971	3,903
1972	4,347
1973	4,828
1974	5,047
1975	5,293
1976	5,950
1977	6,598
1978	7,326

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	25,649
REPUBLICAN	16,010
OTHER	3,565
TOTAL	45,224

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	46,700	44,780	1,920	4.1%
1971	47,700	45,500	2,200	4.6
1972	50,700	49,250	1,450	2.9
1973	52,770	51,390	1,380	2.6
1974	51,700	49,220	2,480	4.8
1975	52,520	46,410	6,110	11.6
1976	53,250	49,700	3,550	6.7
1977	55,310	52,130	3,180	5.7
1978	58,470	54,630	3,840	6.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	51,790	31,330	20,460
1971	52,410	31,450	20,960
1972	56,310	34,310	22,000
1973	58,940	35,220	23,720
1974	57,890	33,700	24,190
1975	53,400	29,490	23,910
1976	57,300	32,290	25,010
1977	60,650	34,690	25,960
1978	63,770	35,040	28,730

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	228	61
1966	NA	252	37
1967	NA	248	53
1968	NA	388	41
1969	NA	388	39
1970	NA	388	42
1971	NA	380	46
1972	37	380	41
1973	NA	385	32
1974	38	380	36
1975	NA	466	23
1976	55	449	24
1977	NA	480	18
1978	59	480	18
1979	NA	476	22

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 9,809	$ 16,370	2,312	3,844
1965 THRU 1969	15,074	35,560	2,925	3,115
1970 THRU 1974	4,818	35,856	1,122	1,658
1975 THRU 1979	98,873	52,063	1,793	2,057

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	71,871	$ 6,851,467
1966	73,447	7,365,961
1967	71,283	7,344,239
1968	68,948	6,941,135
1969	65,698	7,748,592
1970	64,544	6,497,000
1971	60,525	6,528,000
1972	NA	6,802,000
1973	NA	9,253,000
1974	50,183	9,957,000
1975	50,136	9,692,000
1976	45,149	8,947,000
1977	53,323	8,978,000
1978	NA	12,281,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,160	414	299	NA
1966-67	1,027	373	283	NA
1967-68	941	337	268	30
1968-69	833	322	259	29
1969-70	882	301	261	27
1970-71	1,238	281	273	24
1971-72	1,314	288	284	24
1972-73	1,209	277	267	19
1973-74	1,129	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,528	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,102	723	576	22
1976-77	1,928	633	569	23
1977-78	1,647	602	565	23
1978-79	1,486	586	607	19

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	224	45	242	36
1969	207	40	279	48
1970	249	66	289	33
1971	252	66	330	39
1972	206	77	321	25
1973	175	53	328	NA
1974	171	64	382	25
1975	146	78	396	19
1976	200	74	395	11
1977	222	77	NA	18
1978	127	84	NA	18
1979	146	74	481	25

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	108.19
MUNICIPAL	26.24
TOTAL	134.43
SECONDARY	
RURAL	776.80
MUNICIPAL	48.45
TOTAL	825.25
PAVED	767.79
UNPAVED	191.89
TOTAL	959.68

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	44,687	1,860	918	35
1966	49,035	2,164	951	45
1967	51,659	2,229	1,017	45
1968	54,307	2,163	901	17
1969	57,001	2,318	868	28
1970	58,599	2,514	929	33
1971	62,359	2,772	953	25
1972	66,785	2,776	1,161	35
1973	71,952	2,813	1,235	45
1974	73,560	2,603	1,087	20
1975	75,369	2,881	1,376	24
1976	79,444	3,144	1,455	26
1977	83,462	3,272	1,509	19
1978	88,166	3,450	1,530	39
1979	91,005	3,367	1,682	22

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	19,696	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	20,030	NA	642	733
1967-68	20,264	1,545	742	680
1968-69	20,441	2,392	784	598
1969-70	20,524	2,977	868	567
1970-71	20,686	3,577	900	609
1971-72	20,743	4,299	960	588
1972-73	20,857	4,233	964	537
1973-74	21,304	4,338	954	498
1974-75	21,625	4,248	969	463
1975-76	21,875	4,578	1,036	418
1976-77	22,142	3,738	962	443
1977-78	22,120	2,195	1,019	442
1978-79	21,966	2,791	1,042	472
1979-80	21,770	5,350	1,081	556

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 190,749,209	$ 42,418,311	$ 25,749,009	$ 37,400,296	$ 20,222,302
1966-67	203,958,239	46,405,373	31,718,243	38,645,905	20,578,501
1967-68	219,328,156	50,389,917	35,285,987	41,536,232	22,154,598
1968-69	251,430,048	56,082,275	41,968,405	47,713,114	25,133,278
1969-70	266,708,954	63,489,187	45,028,343	49,777,290	27,208,754
1970-71	284,881,205	70,271,733	48,350,930	54,038,751	31,134,298
1971-72	333,082,661	80,169,848	55,722,751	59,890,885	39,619,465
1972-73	385,899,043	93,656,250	65,833,502	66,587,022	45,836,027
1973-74	418,330,612	110,535,486	68,856,073	73,888,375	47,380,012
1974-75	406,822,845	108,882,883	71,405,012	78,890,430	40,738,452
1975-76	469,417,245	115,591,456	84,143,890	90,948,020	43,718,693
1976-77	517,773,197	126,070,709	93,946,737	96,528,885	49,385,864
1977-78	609,121,996	153,854,012	106,857,401	109,547,700	60,982,997
1978-79	694,289,394	179,393,883	124,963,640	125,253,590	69,588,928

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 4,193,685.40
1966-67	4,588,390.70
1967-68	4,902,369.10
1968-69	5,579,806.50
1969-70	6,074,376.50
1970-71	6,493,940.40
1971-72	7,640,063.20
1972-73	8,796,358.20
1973-74	9,345,008.70
1974-75	8,849,260.90
1975-76	10,146,016.60
1976-77	11,333,599.00
1977-78	13,021,997.20
1978-79	14,755,461.60

Founded 1771

Chatham

County Seat: Pittsboro
Elevation: 409 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Goldston, Haywood, Pittsboro, Siler City

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	450.9
WATER	1.7
TOTAL	452.6
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	343.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	83.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	13.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	26,785		
1970	29,554	0.1%	2567
1971	30,038	0.5	293
1972	29,716	- 1.6	172
1973	29,862	0.1	110
1974	29,846	- 0.3	87
1975	30,171	0.7	106
1976	30,367	0.2	134
1977	30,636	0.4	143
1978	31,143	1.2	125

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,979
1971	3,205
1972	3,663
1973	4,488
1974	4,391
1975	5,116
1976	5,526
1977	6,074
1978	6,839

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	12,235
REPUBLICAN	3,069
OTHER	602
TOTAL	15,906

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	13,790	13,380	410	3.0%
1971	14,260	13,520	740	5.2
1972	14,200	13,600	600	4.2
1973	14,460	14,100	360	2.5
1974	13,930	13,380	550	3.9
1975	14,140	13,120	1,020	7.2
1976	14,720	14,030	690	4.7
1977	15,170	14,530	640	4.2
1978	15,720	14,980	740	4.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	8,780	5,290	3,490
1971	8,960	5,360	3,600
1972	8,930	5,180	3,750
1973	9,440	5,610	3,830
1974	9,140	5,350	3,790
1975	8,750	4,970	3,780
1976	9,460	5,500	3,960
1977	9,970	5,890	4,080
1978	10,460	6,180	4,280

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	69	13
1966	NA	70	9
1967	NA	70	7
1968	NA	70	12
1969	NA	97	4
1970	NA	97	13
1971	NA	99	6
1972	6	99	7
1973	NA	75	8
1974	9	75	5
1975	NA	75	10
1976	6	75	2
1977	NA	75	1
1978	6	75	9
1979	NA	65	6

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,954	$ 6,161	997	657
1965 THRU 1969	41,254	3,464	809	320
1970 THRU 1974	6,775	24,712	180	438
1975 THRU 1979	7,080	25,200	94	404

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	55,295	$ 29,479,836
1966	52,850	29,083,212
1967	53,750	30,303,144
1968	52,334	31,249,474
1969	48,941	35,665,999
1970	46,795	33,237,000
1971	43,867	31,424,000
1972	44,301	34,451,000
1973	33,438	59,054,000
1974	37,560	50,917,000
1975	35,502	58,867,000
1976	37,314	59,888,000
1977	43,321	61,065,000
1978	NA	68,879,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	295	189	119	NA
1966-67	245	157	115	NA
1967-68	249	150	114	25
1968-69	223	144	121	24
1969-70	288	141	127	20
1970-71	286	127	127	18
1971-72	336	131	123	22
1972-73	313	126	122	18
1973-74	337	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	432	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	516	520	345	17
1976-77	564	485	356	15
1977-78	552	470	366	13
1978-79	495	430	353	15

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	57	9	166	8
1969	53	8	173	15
1970	59	14	179	7
1971	56	19	145	3
1972	49	17	168	7
1973	59	12	212	NA
1974	71	18	174	4
1975	53	16	180	4
1976	46	17	167	3
1977	51	13	NA	5
1978	43	24	NA	2
1979	50	21	164	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	146.47
MUNICIPAL	8.21
TOTAL	154.68
SECONDARY	
RURAL	838.46
MUNICIPAL	19.09
TOTAL	857.55
PAVED	724.59
UNPAVED	287.64
TOTAL	1,012.23

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	11,920	509	228	15
1966	12,657	500	255	15
1967	12,671	518	291	13
1968	13,907	587	330	21
1969	14,376	528	253	24
1970	14,729	639	324	10
1971	15,575	768	350	25
1972	16,584	738	360	25
1973	17,576	689	342	19
1974	18,077	644	376	17
1975	18,608	662	375	15
1976	19,879	775	456	11
1977	20,780	833	459	20
1978	21,925	859	480	20
1979	22,564	836	498	15

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	7,227	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	7,133	NA	218	115
1967-68	7,130	266	223	116
1968-69	7,086	573	237	108
1969-70	7,076	612	247	110
1970-71	6,997	594	261	119
1971-72	6,780	818	299	122
1972-73	6,639	735	324	127
1973-74	6,687	723	329	116
1974-75	6,727	1,023	346	111
1975-76	6,780	1,168	377	112
1976-77	6,874	1,015	414	114
1977-78	6,812	1,128	411	100
1978-79	6,737	1,135	386	120
1979-80	6,566	1,299	408	103

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 50,590,662	$ 8,793,907	$ 5,584,524	$ 8,455,177	$ 2,598,024
1966-67	56,810,955	9,519,016	6,679,566	9,007,226	2,619,700
1967-68	52,408,312	8,954,425	6,691,192	9,425,828	2,676,426
1968-69	56,446,852	10,397,144	7,137,215	9,567,369	3,417,030
1969-70	61,389,272	11,047,719	8,144,391	9,904,384	3,444,915
1970-71	68,693,785	12,452,726	9,010,783	13,076,696	3,286,607
1971-72	67,215,092	13,330,991	9,327,036	11,280,828	5,639,907
1972-73	78,857,755	15,509,604	10,102,240	11,848,986	9,756,080
1973-74	83,396,984	19,818,235	11,666,992	11,725,051	6,138,828
1974-75	81,880,732	22,312,002	12,655,920	12,078,450	4,067,156
1975-76	92,555,490	24,618,177	15,114,906	14,206,893	4,908,287
1976-77	105,553,763	25,575,293	16,889,128	15,932,813	6,124,173
1977-78	114,428,237	28,013,642	17,983,545	16,847,406	7,282,769
1978-79	119,012,411	25,895,851	20,672,848	17,414,937	6,951,877

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 710,299.10
1966-67	747,576.40
1967-68	760,489.30
1968-69	818,192.20
1969-70	920,712.10
1970-71	999,779.90
1971-72	1,078,920.90
1972-73	1,172,178.00
1973-74	1,244,611.50
1974-75	1,354,905.40
1975-76	1,577,597.20
1976-77	1,734,141.10
1977-78	1,921,035.10
1978-79	2,094,236.60

Founded 1839

Cherokee

County Seat: Murphy
Elevation: 1,535 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Andrews, Murphy

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	290.1
WATER	10.0
TOTAL	300.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	170.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	21.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	6.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	16,335		
1970	16,330	- 0.8%	1290
1971	16,521	0.2	143
1972	16,532	- 0.5	85
1973	16,552	- 0.3	74
1974	16,703	0.4	87
1975	17,231	2.6	95
1976	17,565	1.4	92
1977	17,620	- 0.2	86
1978	17,659	- 0.2	70

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,114
1971	2,319
1972	2,713
1973	3,038
1974	3,306
1975	3,437
1976	3,538
1977	3,851
1978	4,313

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	6,405
REPUBLICAN	4,194
OTHER	642
TOTAL	11,241

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	6,490	5,980	510	7.9%
1971	6,420	5,870	550	8.6
1972	6,740	6,240	500	7.4
1973	6,540	6,240	300	4.6
1974	6,130	5,740	390	6.4
1975	6,140	5,320	820	13.4
1976	6,130	5,600	530	8.6
1977	6,260	5,630	630	10.1
1978	6,350	6,000	350	5.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	5,200	2,900	2,300
1971	5,130	2,960	2,170
1972	5,400	3,200	2,200
1973	5,480	3,120	2,360
1974	5,140	2,710	2,430
1975	4,700	1,650	3,050
1976	4,990	2,320	2,670
1977	5,040	2,200	2,840
1978	5,420	2,370	3,050

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	67	6
1966	NA	87	10
1967	NA	87	8
1968	NA	87	12
1969	NA	83	7
1970	NA	95	6
1971	NA	94	9
1972	4	89	5
1973	NA	87	6
1974	8	89	1
1975	NA	89	5
1976	9	89	1
1977	NA	89	6
1978	10	89	2
1979	NA	225	4

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,962	$ 444	937	156
1965 THRU 1969	6,424	2,183	349	1,220
1970 THRU 1974	200	261	100	0
1975 THRU 1979	3,920	2,710	480	30

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	14,241	$ 3,796,949
1966	13,194	3,933,664
1967	12,120	4,483,435
1968	11,240	4,827,568
1969	10,533	5,050,059
1970	10,013	4,509,000
1971	9,260	4,319,000
1972	9,111	4,161,000
1973	11,038	6,340,000
1974	7,372	6,112,000
1975	8,185	5,436,000
1976	8,128	5,628,000
1977	9,365	6,226,000
1978	NA	6,753,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	511	330	157	NA
1966-67	431	305	159	NA
1967-68	365	282	156	34
1968-69	378	277	158	30
1969-70	389	278	166	30
1970-71	430	266	162	35
1971-72	413	242	168	36
1972-73	313	219	173	36
1973-74	316	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	323	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	305	658	335	28
1976-77	312	607	357	27
1977-78	336	588	353	25
1978-79	297	560	350	24

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	25	2	87	3
1969	25	2	94	5
1970	19	1	102	3
1971	6	1	84	0
1972	15	2	73	0
1973	33	5	102	NA
1974	14	11	111	0
1975	30	6	131	2
1976	17	2	124	0
1977	7	4	NA	1
1978	15	3	NA	2
1979	14	4	127	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	72.26
MUNICIPAL	4.59
TOTAL	76.85
SECONDARY	
RURAL	464.20
MUNICIPAL	10.00
TOTAL	474.20
PAVED	275.19
UNPAVED	275.86
TOTAL	551.05

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	5,952	162	108	7
1966	6,819	221	126	0
1967	7,301	206	132	13
1968	7,853	205	148	6
1969	8,121	207	106	7
1970	8,267	198	117	3
1971	8,616	211	114	7
1972	9,165	206	117	1
1973	9,862	228	145	4
1974	10,261	241	147	6
1975	10,837	241	162	6
1976	11,662	280	141	3
1977	12,088	358	216	6
1978	12,789	371	198	8
1979	13,133	336	186	3

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

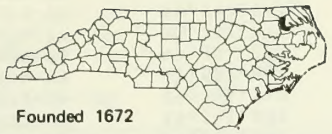
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	4,096	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,982	NA	109	33
1967-68	3,923	374	111	30
1968-69	3,947	468	117	32
1969-70	3,873	655	126	29
1970-71	3,818	774	143	37
1971-72	3,832	718	147	26
1972-73	3,761	878	125	31
1973-74	3,796	626	134	40
1974-75	3,843	872	121	46
1975-76	4,042	1,180	133	55
1976-77	4,103	314	138	51
1977-78	4,076	883	145	41
1978-79	4,069	987	134	63
1979-80	4,103	1,392	140	62

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 21,063,994	$ 5,429,559	$ 3,024,312	$ 3,981,982	$ 1,536,142
1966-67	22,781,825	6,197,826	3,421,666	4,470,884	1,565,200
1967-68	23,278,937	6,236,097	3,694,155	4,876,206	1,645,362
1968-69	26,021,148	6,824,699	3,991,696	5,556,706	2,239,350
1969-70	26,640,302	7,313,879	4,101,228	5,539,576	2,384,918
1970-71	27,403,185	7,545,895	4,812,772	5,711,980	2,117,996
1971-72	29,212,752	8,373,082	5,545,919	5,685,589	2,022,904
1972-73	35,111,281	9,963,210	7,544,128	6,761,662	2,323,029
1973-74	39,766,748	12,474,610	8,743,498	6,888,793	2,494,771
1974-75	42,582,861	14,631,212	8,645,875	7,388,690	2,724,196
1975-76	45,231,208	16,219,295	9,409,121	7,741,464	2,520,877
1976-77	50,782,775	18,565,992	9,945,349	8,731,855	2,997,694
1977-78	58,999,948	20,879,762	11,432,602	9,189,850	4,080,908
1978-79	67,988,198	24,210,846	12,176,780	11,387,253	4,659,679

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 432,960.90
1966-67	493,183.60
1967-68	511,463.90
1968-69	577,776.80
1969-70	606,284.90
1970-71	626,420.10
1971-72	682,841.60
1972-73	840,595.30
1973-74	948,726.40
1974-75	1,013,541.90
1975-76	1,078,600.70
1976-77	1,216,780.80
1977-78	1,405,228.10
1978-79	1,580,587.10



Founded 1672

Chowan

County Seat: Edenton
Elevation: 16 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Edenton

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	114.8
WATER	37.1
TOTAL	151.9
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	64.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	38.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	4.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	11,729		
1970	10,764	- 1.8%	1077
1971	10,775	- 0.8	117
1972	10,833	0.0	61
1973	10,846	- 0.3	45
1974	10,866	- 0.3	50
1975	11,201	2.7	40
1976	11,466	2.0	44
1977	11,704	1.4	80
1978	12,125	2.9	77

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,688
1971	2,823
1972	3,147
1973	3,689
1974	4,078
1975	4,259
1976	4,956
1977	5,156
1978	5,702

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	4,858
REPUBLICAN	425
OTHER	49
TOTAL	5,332

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	4,580	4,350	230	5.0%
1971	4,480	4,220	260	5.8
1972	4,440	4,140	300	6.8
1973	4,370	4,190	180	4.1
1974	4,360	4,120	240	5.5
1975	4,550	4,190	360	7.9
1976	4,870	4,540	330	6.8
1977	4,960	4,600	360	7.2
1978	5,110	4,910	200	3.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	3,380	1,340	2,040
1971	3,310	1,180	2,130
1972	3,200	1,070	2,130
1973	3,290	1,150	2,140
1974	3,330	1,150	2,180
1975	3,330	1,020	2,310
1976	3,640	1,140	2,500
1977	3,780	1,130	2,650
1978	4,120	1,320	2,800

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	50	10
1966	NA	50	5
1967	NA	50	9
1968	NA	50	6
1969	NA	50	5
1970	NA	52	2
1971	NA	112	5
1972	8	112	1
1973	NA	113	0
1974	8	113	3
1975	NA	113	6
1976	8	113	1
1977	NA	113	4
1978	9	113	2
1979	NA	103	5

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 4,581	$ 491	499	62
1965 THRU 1969	1,900	1,445	500	28
1970 THRU 1974	450	420	150	20
1975 THRU 1979	4,650	2,091	146	115

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	35,973	$ 7,261,584
1966	36,349	7,028,049
1967	36,821	6,473,505
1968	37,091	8,058,298
1969	36,961	9,666,659
1970	37,175	8,529,000
1971	38,280	9,028,000
1972	38,429	9,786,000
1973	37,723	13,628,000
1974	37,786	14,301,000
1975	37,783	13,578,000
1976	39,059	16,679,000
1977	39,922	14,729,000
1978	NA	16,368,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	217	117	52	NA
1966-67	248	114	56	NA
1967-68	244	114	52	9
1968-69	312	109	46	10
1969-70	326	106	46	13
1970-71	328	86	42	15
1971-72	305	63	45	11
1972-73	263	53	48	12
1973-74	272	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	279	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	342	288	176	14
1976-77	429	260	181	15
1977-78	453	245	184	15
1978-79	496	251	199	16

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	36	7	61	6
1969	27	7	71	3
1970	32	7	57	5
1971	42	6	54	0
1972	38	6	57	0
1973	32	3	54	NA
1974	33	8	70	1
1975	30	10	88	3
1976	40	12	91	1
1977	37	13	NA	3
1978	32	9	NA	4
1979	41	9	99	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	48.17
MUNICIPAL	5.46
TOTAL	53.63
SECONDARY	
RURAL	175.57
MUNICIPAL	4.86
TOTAL	180.43
PAVED	201.26
UNPAVED	32.80
TOTAL	234.06

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	4,501	154	66	2
1966	4,688	157	77	0
1967	4,891	193	93	8
1968	5,199	191	72	2
1969	5,417	229	90	7
1970	5,401	194	97	4
1971	5,678	218	109	4
1972	6,078	194	93	4
1973	6,545	183	114	3
1974	6,756	185	118	1
1975	7,239	177	85	0
1976	7,753	254	115	1
1977	8,171	229	102	2
1978	8,527	231	90	1
1979	8,817	241	104	0

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,243	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,201	NA	135	47
1967-68	3,231	229	151	35
1968-69	3,100	349	141	28
1969-70	3,014	209	118	27
1970-71	2,939	540	145	33
1971-72	2,926	323	156	27
1972-73	2,781	387	191	36
1973-74	2,716	330	182	34
1974-75	2,723	458	190	30
1975-76	2,768	384	215	38
1976-77	2,739	278	223	48
1977-78	2,759	307	219	52
1978-79	2,820	361	219	63
1979-80	2,754	387	214	62

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 17,000,976	$ 4,486,207	$ 2,959,050	$ 3,367,896	$ 907,339
1966-67	17,503,101	4,895,839	3,096,996	3,177,515	1,128,850
1967-68	18,407,278	5,269,538	3,295,936	3,628,725	886,197
1968-69	20,206,725	5,864,379	3,380,215	3,545,431	991,651
1969-70	21,395,130	6,637,332	3,600,980	3,521,691	1,049,221
1970-71	22,880,835	7,172,418	3,983,502	3,888,954	724,604
1971-72	24,758,626	6,829,972	4,115,743	4,603,098	811,801
1972-73	26,184,847	7,131,902	4,246,072	4,903,208	1,014,519
1973-74	29,028,868	7,723,885	4,577,424	5,319,669	1,268,519
1974-75	34,822,639	8,694,504	7,716,426	5,808,780	1,162,000
1975-76	38,679,298	10,113,696	8,040,574	6,049,046	1,747,829
1976-77	45,173,953	11,233,037	9,396,042	6,383,494	2,962,528
1977-78	49,120,789	10,733,312	10,750,918	6,299,703	5,438,387
1978-79	57,718,376	11,953,806	13,704,995	6,849,747	8,103,932

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 345,851.50
1966-67	363,791.80
1967-68	382,781.00
1968-69	413,156.40
1969-70	450,086.70
1970-71	490,576.70
1971-72	510,629.80
1972-73	546,315.60
1973-74	596,191.50
1974-75	692,756.30
1975-76	777,840.20
1976-77	874,686.50
1977-78	934,210.20
1978-79	1,049,032.50

Founded 1861

Clay

County Seat: Hayesville
Elevation: 1,893 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	136.0
WATER	4.5
TOTAL	140.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	55.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	16.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	5,526		
1970	5,180	- 1.2%	314
1971	5,272	0.9	33
1972	5,170	- 2.3	21
1973	5,369	3.4	22
1974	5,350	- 0.8	22
1975	5,561	3.7	11
1976	5,534	- 0.8	15
1977	5,610	1.2	12
1978	5,859	4.2	12

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,202
1971	2,285
1972	2,668
1973	3,096
1974	3,402
1975	3,459
1976	3,995
1977	4,381
1978	4,640

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	2,237
REPUBLICAN	1,966
OTHER	386
TOTAL	4,589

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	1,870	1,690	180	9.6%
1971	1,930	1,740	190	9.8
1972	1,850	1,680	170	9.2
1973	2,050	1,950	100	4.9
1974	2,300	2,160	140	6.1
1975	2,430	2,160	270	11.1
1976	2,440	2,270	170	7.0
1977	2,420	2,260	160	6.6
1978	2,290	2,170	120	5.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	720	280	440
1971	750	270	480
1972	700	320	380
1973	800	400	400
1974	930	410	520
1975	940	390	550
1976	960	350	610
1977	990	380	610
1978	980	370	610

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	2
1966	NA	0	0
1967	NA	0	2
1968	NA	0	3
1969	NA	0	4
1970	NA	0	4
1971	NA	0	1
1972	2	0	2
1973	NA	0	2
1974	1	0	1
1975	NA	0	0
1976	2	0	0
1977	NA	0	1
1978	3	0	0
1979	NA	0	2

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 185	$ 0	200	0
1965 THRU 1969	95	175	300	50
1970 THRU 1974	160	115	20	25
1975 THRU 1979	25	100	10	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	9,271	$ 4,673,687
1966	9,726	4,708,266
1967	9,066	4,116,283
1968	9,294	4,457,399
1969	8,059	6,165,607
1970	6,762	5,188,000
1971	7,329	4,053,000
1972	6,258	3,997,000
1973	6,223	5,822,000
1974	6,683	5,250,000
1975	7,463	4,944,000
1976	6,510	5,551,000
1977	5,529	5,876,000
1978	NA	6,644,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	267	187	70	NA
1966-67	218	180	67	NA
1967-68	247	173	63	12
1968-69	251	161	65	12
1969-70	260	153	66	11
1970-71	259	139	71	12
1971-72	240	127	71	12
1972-73	162	101	70	14
1973-74	124	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	120	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	119	276	140	10
1976-77	108	262	146	5
1977-78	87	260	138	6
1978-79	64	241	143	4

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	2	1	27	0
1969	12	0	18	0
1970	7	1	31	0
1971	3	0	26	0
1972	5	1	21	0
1973	4	1	17	NA
1974	4	1	26	0
1975	16	5	31	0
1976	9	1	29	4
1977	9	2	NA	1
1978	4	3	NA	1
1979	3	1	28	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	36.03
MUNICIPAL	0.88
TOTAL	36.91
SECONDARY	
RURAL	211.87
MUNICIPAL	2.24
TOTAL	214.11
PAVED	158.12
UNPAVED	92.90
TOTAL	251.02

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	2,090	47	26	1
1966	2,214	43	29	0
1967	2,345	32	20	1
1968	2,495	70	45	1
1969	2,600	58	35	2
1970	2,654	56	40	1
1971	2,868	48	21	0
1972	3,114	51	35	5
1973	3,407	75	47	0
1974	3,616	95	45	0
1975	3,847	99	95	1
1976	4,168	80	47	0
1977	4,384	104	65	3
1978	4,703	109	47	1
1979	4,893	99	58	2

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	1,295	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,252	NA	26	2
1967-68	1,245	115	37	0
1968-69	1,223	161	33	1
1969-70	1,229	280	70	2
1970-71	1,196	247	39	6
1971-72	1,181	259	39	6
1972-73	1,179	391	36	5
1973-74	1,172	195	29	6
1974-75	1,211	239	36	3
1975-76	1,210	318	42	3
1976-77	1,227	151	40	7
1977-78	1,237	342	38	9
1978-79	1,261	371	39	13
1979-80	1,273	416	47	17

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 4,079,068	$ 1,357,597	$ 385,225	$ 1,186,365	$ 456,153
1966-67	4,515,387	1,485,374	442,885	1,372,269	336,697
1967-68	5,129,314	1,749,552	450,257	1,420,427	385,374
1968-69	6,073,951	1,822,640	568,805	1,675,434	380,448
1969-70	5,795,306	1,707,993	609,119	1,962,575	400,783
1970-71	6,369,927	1,818,239	722,293	2,031,358	438,425
1971-72	6,754,636	1,848,679	666,629	2,108,807	493,857
1972-73	8,104,484	2,171,634	920,396	2,747,654	474,214
1973-74	9,205,734	2,543,289	1,566,565	2,735,841	396,883
1974-75	9,929,127	3,092,262	1,777,170	2,821,993	423,532
1975-76	11,838,144	3,719,421	2,058,290	3,125,423	592,387
1976-77	13,370,277	3,903,400	2,468,917	3,346,261	1,359,937
1977-78	15,881,861	4,417,035	2,910,322	3,927,566	1,573,972
1978-79	19,072,318	5,151,707	3,647,040	5,388,187	1,467,771

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 71,673.10
1966-67	77,830.50
1967-68	89,804.50
1968-69	96,679.30
1969-70	102,474.00
1970-71	111,918.90
1971-72	118,346.40
1972-73	149,097.40
1973-74	167,522.80
1974-75	187,316.50
1975-76	229,918.80
1976-77	251,565.90
1977-78	294,531.60
1978-79	355,377.80

Founded 1841

Cleveland

County Seat: Shelby
Elevation: 853ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Belwood, Boiling Springs, Casar, Earl, Fallston, Grover, Kings Mountain (Part), Lattimore, Lawndale, Mooresboro, Patterson Springs, Polkville, Shelby, Waco

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	297.3
WATER	1.1
TOTAL	298.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	127.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	137.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	24.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	66,048		
1970	72,556	- 0.3%	8920
1971	73,970	0.5	934
1972	74,714	0.1	659
1973	75,939	0.8	595
1974	77,164	0.8	599
1975	78,145	0.5	595
1976	77,979	- 0.9	548
1977	77,926	- 0.7	506
1978	78,150	- 0.3	438

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,988
1971	3,293
1972	3,753
1973	4,167
1974	4,406
1975	4,645
1976	5,187
1977	5,750
1978	6,381

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	24,704
REPUBLICAN	4,359
OTHER	1,259
TOTAL	30,322

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	33,960	32,670	1,290	3.8%
1971	35,260	34,070	1,190	3.4
1972	37,440	36,390	1,050	2.8
1973	38,360	37,380	980	2.6
1974	38,630	36,880	1,750	4.5
1975	38,110	33,880	4,230	11.1
1976	39,110	36,410	2,700	6.9
1977	39,150	36,560	2,590	6.6
1978	39,800	37,840	1,960	4.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	27,020	14,960	12,060
1971	28,420	15,800	12,620
1972	30,000	17,110	12,890
1973	31,120	17,540	13,580
1974	31,430	17,410	14,020
1975	28,700	14,920	13,780
1976	30,960	16,090	14,870
1977	31,290	15,960	15,330
1978	32,640	16,440	16,200

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	303	42
1966	NA	287	50
1967	NA	287	47
1968	NA	370	44
1969	NA	371	42
1970	NA	371	50
1971	NA	405	40
1972	30	424	50
1973	NA	422	45
1974	31	422	34
1975	NA	422	24
1976	33	426	33
1977	NA	426	30
1978	41	447	23
1979	NA	438	21

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 4,160	$ 50,746	686	1,513
1965 THRU 1969	7,280	71,293	862	1,953
1970 THRU 1974	57,964	98,788	1,509	2,762
1975 THRU 1979	15,900	97,497	664	725

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	114,726	$ 14,565,677
1966	110,097	13,732,660
1967	111,026	14,071,174
1968	108,630	14,021,237
1969	96,625	15,851,242
1970	94,169	15,578,000
1971	90,491	14,329,000
1972	87,709	14,339,000
1973	76,343	20,453,000
1974	69,250	20,166,000
1975	64,181	19,400,000
1976	71,408	20,630,000
1977	67,207	21,272,000
1978	NA	24,050,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,924	813	357	NA
1966-67	1,787	756	363	NA
1967-68	1,652	710	366	48
1968-69	1,494	703	389	45
1969-70	1,665	701	402	40
1970-71	2,120	677	432	39
1971-72	2,408	676	496	37
1972-73	2,316	598	517	31
1973-74	2,242	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,545	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	3,180	1,278	1,055	30
1976-77	3,250	1,207	1,092	26
1977-78	3,296	1,161	1,150	30
1978-79	3,191	1,077	1,169	32

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	120	18	253	38
1969	117	15	253	28
1970	171	26	231	36
1971	200	33	256	20
1972	155	31	266	16
1973	116	24	267	NA
1974	103	27	283	9
1975	142	40	288	5
1976	149	44	275	0
1977	104	35	NA	4
1978	84	40	NA	10
1979	118	34	318	4

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	142.60
MUNICIPAL	36.58
TOTAL	179.18
SECONDARY	
RURAL	934.41
MUNICIPAL	77.62
TOTAL	1,012.03
PAVED	923.97
UNPAVED	267.24
TOTAL	1,191.21

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	31,259	1,293	724	21
1966	33,651	1,367	777	19
1967	34,812	1,379	823	21
1968	36,629	1,510	635	30
1969	38,307	1,683	864	18
1970	39,693	1,739	874	22
1971	42,284	1,849	991	22
1972	45,769	1,893	1,109	17
1973	49,205	1,836	1,090	25
1974	50,782	1,701	979	24
1975	52,245	1,751	988	17
1976	55,573	1,878	1,060	25
1977	57,832	2,092	1,146	23
1978	61,120	2,216	1,261	13
1979	62,533	2,138	1,270	15

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	17,942	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	17,852	NA	521	401
1967-68	17,804	749	589	425
1968-69	17,830	1,266	594	436
1969-70	18,028	1,538	583	447
1970-71	18,106	1,848	594	449
1971-72	18,190	1,965	600	441
1972-73	18,029	2,192	643	424
1973-74	18,522	2,298	660	458
1974-75	18,753	3,150	717	509
1975-76	18,818	3,941	794	429
1976-77	19,155	3,798	796	480
1977-78	19,027	3,719	776	511
1978-79	18,806	3,698	810	542
1979-80	18,649	3,507	773	526

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 104,162,114	$ 25,951,427	$ 21,064,086	$ 18,148,058	$ 12,037,915
1966-67	108,555,934	27,844,857	22,484,442	19,089,568	10,825,009
1967-68	116,631,638	29,263,820	25,550,530	19,604,739	10,939,040
1968-69	129,934,104	31,602,399	28,676,015	21,649,886	12,916,473
1969-70	138,482,306	34,180,394	30,490,023	23,340,070	12,769,087
1970-71	150,890,831	37,213,544	34,390,062	23,932,119	15,111,034
1971-72	172,688,980	40,924,264	37,264,155	27,756,088	18,183,752
1972-73	198,543,912	46,581,416	41,635,235	31,036,877	21,096,078
1973-74	227,979,154	54,357,812	46,744,584	40,556,805	22,489,559
1974-75	228,254,765	61,665,351	45,360,834	43,585,097	20,378,889
1975-76	259,741,046	68,621,423	55,368,771	47,704,006	22,346,845
1976-77	279,928,323	73,334,244	57,979,461	49,523,891	23,996,281
1977-78	311,934,049	81,632,425	63,696,023	54,238,714	28,320,012
1978-79	346,450,251	91,291,017	65,036,054	54,268,915	34,625,131

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,390,338.80
1966-67	2,377,333.70
1967-68	2,559,688.00
1968-69	2,968,995.70
1969-70	3,274,039.40
1970-71	3,584,072.80
1971-72	3,982,981.50
1972-73	4,355,719.40
1973-74	4,865,720.20
1974-75	4,821,032.00
1975-76	5,467,627.10
1976-77	5,873,828.20
1977-78	6,600,190.90
1978-79	7,515,256.30

Founded 1808

Columbus

County Seat: Whiteville
Elevation: 59 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Bolton, Brunswick, Cerro Gordo, Chadbourn, Fair Bluff, Lake Waccamaw, Tabor City, Whiteville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	599.9
WATER	10.4
TOTAL	610.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	420.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	156.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	5.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	48,973		
1970	46,937	- 1.7%	5933
1971	47,951	0.9	473
1972	48,200	- 0.2	361
1973	49,323	1.7	323
1974	49,751	0.1	359
1975	50,379	0.5	355
1976	51,058	0.6	359
1977	51,276	- 0.3	356
1978	51,548	- 0.1	339

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,412
1971	2,578
1972	2,796
1973	3,211
1974	3,519
1975	3,827
1976	4,023
1977	4,383
1978	4,916

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	22,147
REPUBLICAN	1,899
OTHER	238
TOTAL	24,284

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	19,580	18,500	1,080	5.5%
1971	20,420	19,020	1,400	6.9
1972	21,080	19,530	1,550	7.4
1973	21,030	19,840	1,190	5.7
1974	21,460	19,770	1,690	7.9
1975	22,080	19,630	2,450	11.1
1976	22,670	20,840	1,830	8.1
1977	23,120	21,310	1,810	7.8
1978	22,090	20,960	1,130	5.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	11,210	4,820	6,390
1971	11,880	5,260	6,620
1972	12,000	5,200	6,800
1973	12,440	5,370	7,070
1974	12,940	5,300	7,640
1975	12,610	4,460	8,150
1976	13,510	5,030	8,480
1977	14,350	5,280	9,070
1978	14,430	5,580	8,850

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	100	46
1966	NA	141	44
1967	NA	141	28
1968	NA	141	25
1969	NA	145	21
1970	NA	146	23
1971	NA	145	23
1972	10	145	26
1973	NA	145	26
1974	11	145	18
1975	NA	145	15
1976	12	145	20
1977	NA	145	20
1978	13	166	11
1979	NA	166	11

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 11,480	$ 13,983	837	803
1965 THRU 1969	8,603	32,430	1,396	693
1970 THRU 1974	20,414	36,218	619	340
1975 THRU 1979	2,739	215,167	995	481

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	129,989	$ 41,625,582
1966	131,494	41,515,733
1967	132,852	43,359,612
1968	126,799	43,964,502
1969	127,453	50,047,853
1970	129,298	38,024,000
1971	128,083	39,049,000
1972	125,605	43,686,000
1973	126,086	57,180,000
1974	123,342	69,349,000
1975	122,850	74,007,000
1976	123,182	68,544,000
1977	127,743	70,820,000
1978	NA	79,687,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,131	472	261	NA
1966-67	1,083	435	256	NA
1967-68	1,051	397	273	45
1968-69	1,036	400	281	44
1969-70	1,089	381	298	39
1970-71	1,181	351	311	30
1971-72	1,211	344	323	46
1972-73	1,032	314	325	52
1973-74	1,012	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,196	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,524	1,309	1,110	47
1976-77	1,749	1,234	1,164	38
1977-78	1,898	1,194	1,224	35
1978-79	1,816	1,196	1,317	38

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	85	30	191	18
1969	72	41	277	25
1970	101	43	238	24
1971	106	44	229	20
1972	104	42	243	13
1973	94	35	238	NA
1974	78	32	348	21
1975	60	35	441	5
1976	71	23	519	7
1977	120	29	NA	8
1978	100	33	NA	7
1979	105	33	447	7

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	224.70
MUNICIPAL	30.81
TOTAL	255.51
SECONDARY	
RURAL	933.97
MUNICIPAL	28.38
TOTAL	962.35
PAVED	927.23
UNPAVED	290.63
TOTAL	1,217.86

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	18,682	768	548	19
1966	19,699	929	628	32
1967	20,595	839	560	24
1968	21,835	952	568	27
1969	22,689	969	508	23
1970	22,929	1,061	476	22
1971	24,619	1,159	608	37
1972	26,417	1,105	699	35
1973	28,209	1,106	693	39
1974	29,252	967	621	24
1975	30,490	1,011	602	14
1976	32,822	1,093	650	32
1977	34,045	1,025	638	21
1978	35,406	1,086	699	21
1979	36,368	1,092	716	14

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	14,506	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	14,139	NA	386	165
1967-68	13,849	1,317	381	162
1968-69	13,631	1,603	410	136
1969-70	13,201	2,012	444	143
1970-71	13,222	2,023	452	115
1971-72	13,108	2,308	540	120
1972-73	12,756	2,483	576	124
1973-74	13,044	2,247	571	102
1974-75	12,829	2,788	587	142
1975-76	12,860	3,195	616	131
1976-77	12,814	1,988	619	140
1977-78	12,538	2,578	643	134
1978-79	12,188	3,058	630	155
1979-80	11,975	2,755	626	520

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 62,402,264	$ 14,096,368	$ 13,113,929	$ 14,669,756	$ 3,484,524
1966-67	68,691,459	15,753,856	15,622,546	15,003,613	4,161,522
1967-68	71,112,412	16,635,795	14,704,827	15,760,684	4,670,659
1968-69	75,868,094	17,338,643	14,473,017	17,572,583	5,630,521
1969-70	78,138,451	19,338,454	14,582,693	18,447,371	5,149,215
1970-71	83,885,949	21,299,331	15,798,671	19,379,507	5,721,906
1971-72	94,801,592	23,518,485	16,499,613	20,383,789	7,099,866
1972-73	109,996,866	27,653,363	18,028,622	24,008,760	7,980,962
1973-74	127,266,677	35,515,671	20,712,820	26,499,758	8,525,676
1974-75	142,076,120	44,754,019	23,755,803	28,000,196	8,232,755
1975-76	163,495,020	46,929,963	26,940,918	33,145,377	10,441,107
1976-77	169,291,515	45,974,195	27,306,700	36,213,444	10,945,076
1977-78	185,467,458	52,735,013	28,752,632	39,425,773	13,280,803
1978-79	206,419,742	59,842,077	32,152,328	43,869,157	14,495,529

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,278,963.20
1966-67	1,383,050.40
1967-68	1,468,227.10
1968-69	1,600,984.80
1969-70	1,675,933.30
1970-71	1,873,131.30
1971-72	2,114,084.90
1972-73	2,399,364.60
1973-74	2,791,606.10
1974-75	3,119,933.30
1975-76	3,477,008.90
1976-77	3,613,493.90
1977-78	3,983,840.10
1978-79	4,376,148.20

Founded 1712

Craven

County Seat: New Bern
Elevation: 12 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Bridgeton, Cove City, Dover, Havelock, New Bern, River Bend, Trent Woods, Vanceboro

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	459.9
WATER	42.4
TOTAL	502.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	287.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	76.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	6.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	58,773		
1970	62,554	- 1.4%	12141
1971	63,859	0.0	1319
1972	64,333	- 0.9	1066
1973	66,806	2.3	1019
1974	66,066	- 2.5	954
1975	67,662	1.0	921
1976	69,125	0.7	989
1977	68,543	- 2.3	1034
1978	68,451	- 1.6	973

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,048
1971	3,121
1972	3,425
1973	3,874
1974	4,365
1975	4,714
1976	4,563
1977	4,954
1978	6,205

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	18,399
REPUBLICAN	3,165
OTHER	630
TOTAL	22,194

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	20,230	19,110	1,120	5.5%
1971	20,330	19,060	1,270	6.2
1972	21,630	20,520	1,110	5.1
1973	21,980	21,170	810	3.7
1974	22,370	21,290	1,080	4.8
1975	23,390	21,860	1,530	6.5
1976	23,750	22,410	1,340	5.6
1977	24,390	22,890	1,500	6.2
1978	25,500	24,490	1,010	4.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	17,260	2,800	14,460
1971	16,930	2,780	14,150
1972	18,500	3,440	15,060
1973	18,940	3,380	15,560
1974	19,730	3,550	16,180
1975	19,700	3,060	16,640
1976	20,110	3,220	16,890
1977	20,550	3,430	17,120
1978	22,260	3,860	18,400

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	219	54
1966	NA	208	38
1967	NA	161	42
1968	NA	161	41
1969	NA	161	36
1970	NA	161	33
1971	NA	161	34
1972	37	161	24
1973	NA	161	29
1974	27	161	30
1975	NA	161	33
1976	29	161	28
1977	NA	234	25
1978	27	234	18
1979	NA	227	24

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 30,260	$ 1,619	1,245	225
1965 THRU 1969	62,793	5,783	713	501
1970 THRU 1974	34,490	13,792	685	100
1975 THRU 1979	5,085	5,641	194	539

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	61,400	$ 14,562,803
1966	63,082	15,370,872
1967	64,219	15,561,972
1968	64,317	14,688,319
1969	64,706	16,522,336
1970	65,290	18,275,000
1971	64,597	16,359,000
1972	64,135	19,958,000
1973	66,100	26,070,000
1974	64,693	30,369,000
1975	63,251	31,956,000
1976	64,377	33,134,000
1977	69,594	27,656,000
1978	NA	37,512,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,810	575	272	NA
1966-67	1,954	576	304	NA
1967-68	2,058	587	331	39
1968-69	2,260	593	362	38
1969-70	2,603	597	416	36
1970-71	2,956	583	465	39
1971-72	3,137	550	522	39
1972-73	3,024	469	536	39
1973-74	2,657	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,528	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,750	1,012	908	32
1976-77	2,965	945	919	27
1977-78	2,916	928	958	30
1978-79	2,775	891	991	33

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	68	18	181	15
1969	80	22	243	42
1970	109	25	284	39
1971	94	18	291	24
1972	112	26	375	31
1973	113	28	483	NA
1974	97	28	576	28
1975	111	34	615	17
1976	131	36	566	6
1977	116	29	NA	14
1978	132	36	NA	22
1979	99	38	410	10

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	126.06
MUNICIPAL	13.44
TOTAL	139.50
SECONDARY	
RURAL	547.64
MUNICIPAL	27.58
TOTAL	575.22
PAVED	516.14
UNPAVED	198.58
TOTAL	714.72

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	23,798	799	493	21
1966	24,831	940	541	15
1967	26,031	998	522	20
1968	27,205	1,037	607	17
1969	28,595	1,243	815	34
1970	29,579	1,295	700	22
1971	31,510	1,290	683	26
1972	33,880	1,193	729	18
1973	36,264	1,271	885	24
1974	37,595	1,193	733	17
1975	39,673	1,379	859	25
1976	42,355	1,370	864	28
1977	44,351	1,368	894	21
1978	46,859	1,242	735	18
1979	48,071	1,201	737	15

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	15,296	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	15,283	NA	507	161
1967-68	15,654	789	559	181
1968-69	15,514	978	561	202
1969-70	15,577	1,607	565	186
1970-71	15,373	2,200	651	164
1971-72	14,983	2,948	619	174
1972-73	14,538	2,991	619	169
1973-74	14,367	2,939	683	155
1974-75	14,400	2,743	752	163
1975-76	14,385	2,830	823	144
1976-77	14,375	2,839	818	177
1977-78	14,340	3,642	781	183
1978-79	14,040	3,775	765	175
1979-80	13,902	4,836	770	192

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 90,649,887	$ 20,011,713	$ 20,328,442	$ 16,417,731	$ 7,799,082
1966-67	95,264,201	20,890,864	22,323,321	17,245,551	7,612,180
1967-68	102,626,192	22,259,868	23,161,871	19,393,818	8,828,194
1968-69	113,805,840	24,569,901	25,209,292	20,990,857	10,116,846
1969-70	124,433,456	27,929,406	29,113,256	22,823,263	10,359,865
1970-71	133,785,446	29,674,309	31,706,632	25,731,777	10,207,807
1971-72	146,687,413	32,024,192	30,929,074	27,753,189	13,063,717
1972-73	171,080,147	36,492,454	34,819,597	31,530,252	16,978,240
1973-74	194,954,676	41,780,411	41,131,024	36,390,356	18,143,993
1974-75	188,818,502	50,983,199	39,475,588	40,205,851	17,280,490
1975-76	234,754,261	58,915,172	48,435,820	44,274,592	17,438,462
1976-77	257,545,553	61,880,603	49,885,528	50,286,764	24,710,783
1977-78	267,985,155	66,345,195	49,144,734	52,468,436	25,724,619
1978-79	296,421,932	76,145,628	52,879,365	58,268,480	28,611,959

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,902,453.30
1966-67	2,029,824.40
1967-68	2,207,484.60
1968-69	2,554,408.00
1969-70	2,850,854.70
1970-71	2,923,568.20
1971-72	3,186,357.70
1972-73	3,622,404.70
1973-74	4,071,850.50
1974-75	4,372,817.20
1975-76	4,923,677.40
1976-77	5,290,681.90
1977-78	5,548,898.10
1978-79	6,149,572.20

Founded 1754

Cumberland

County Seat: Fayetteville
Elevation: 107 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Falcon, Fayetteville, Godwin, Hope Mills, Linden, Spring Lake, Stedman, Wade

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	420.1
WATER	3.7
TOTAL	423.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	224.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	105.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	34.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	148,418		
1970	212,042	1.2%	42346
1971	211,518	- 2.2	5274
1972	210,259	- 2.5	4034
1973	215,882	0.9	3814
1974	226,648	3.2	3802
1975	226,192	- 1.9	3811
1976	228,696	- 0.6	3862
1977	231,553	- 0.5	3964
1978	233,364	- 0.9	3858

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,999
1971	3,215
1972	3,702
1973	4,042
1974	4,403
1975	4,744
1976	5,061
1977	5,336
1978	5,784

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	44,624
REPUBLICAN	7,445
OTHER	3,051
TOTAL	55,120

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	52,220	50,320	1,900	3.6%
1971	52,600	50,030	2,570	4.9
1972	56,980	54,810	2,170	3.8
1973	60,170	58,300	1,870	3.1
1974	63,240	60,320	2,920	4.6
1975	65,160	60,580	4,580	7.0
1976	66,810	62,150	4,660	7.0
1977	65,900	60,800	5,100	7.7
1978	65,200	61,700	3,500	5.4

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	48,700	8,820	39,880
1971	48,600	9,340	39,260
1972	52,880	10,560	42,320
1973	56,920	12,160	44,760
1974	60,190	12,480	47,710
1975	59,820	10,720	49,100
1976	61,650	11,130	50,520
1977	60,390	10,340	50,050
1978	61,670	10,580	51,090

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	302	153
1966	NA	290	119
1967	NA	290	123
1968	NA	290	124
1969	NA	499	112
1970	NA	499	108
1971	NA	497	132
1972	70	498	115
1973	NA	498	92
1974	52	498	98
1975	NA	498	83
1976	77	498	99
1977	NA	587	73
1978	67	587	81
1979	NA	590	75

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,480	$ 2,338	511	715
1965 THRU 1969	66,800	19,041	2,647	1,248
1970 THRU 1974	16,925	112,283	609	2,305
1975 THRU 1979	96,200	80,174	765	2,281

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	85,512	$ 18,096,965
1966	89,528	20,232,219
1967	89,800	20,019,455
1968	89,467	16,802,384
1969	91,106	20,328,621
1970	86,734	16,196,000
1971	86,488	16,276,000
1972	84,464	17,588,000
1973	80,900	21,668,000
1974	78,992	26,586,000
1975	98,418	27,166,000
1976	81,580	27,256,000
1977	82,165	24,094,000
1978	NA	30,375,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	4,145	786	525	NA
1966-67	4,411	780	518	NA
1967-68	4,513	787	542	86
1968-69	4,801	774	582	80
1969-70	6,121	795	681	76
1970-71	7,770	797	838	81
1971-72	9,098	852	981	94
1972-73	8,932	797	1,020	88
1973-74	8,644	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	9,766	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	11,166	1,812	2,046	93
1976-77	11,982	1,738	2,093	88
1977-78	12,994	1,689	2,120	93
1978-79	12,637	1,609	2,208	90

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	415	51	716	61
1969	417	63	938	99
1970	503	67	1,187	78
1971	400	85	1,282	83
1972	356	76	1,330	57
1973	395	75	1,578	NA
1974	409	109	1,704	105
1975	381	131	1,757	89
1976	378	115	1,664	68
1977	334	97	NA	93
1978	385	148	NA	81
1979	408	118	1,589	54

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	167.33
MUNICIPAL	38.86
TOTAL	206.19
SECONDARY	
RURAL	934.67
MUNICIPAL	48.24
TOTAL	982.91
PAVED	964.04
UNPAVED	225.06
TOTAL	1,189.10

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	62,541	2,658	1,929	38
1966	65,185	3,080	1,976	57
1967	73,494	3,481	2,263	73
1968	76,694	3,576	2,103	64
1969	82,005	4,207	2,407	65
1970	85,779	4,197	2,238	42
1971	91,455	4,531	2,331	53
1972	100,512	4,765	2,524	61
1973	111,471	4,206	2,801	54
1974	117,112	4,526	3,018	38
1975	123,911	5,201	3,310	55
1976	131,787	5,356	3,532	63
1977	138,591	5,205	3,538	41
1978	144,288	5,164	3,239	47
1979	149,337	5,327	3,302	59

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	39,974	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	43,040	NA	1,156	640
1967-68	44,904	2,688	1,285	732
1968-69	46,011	2,494	1,352	733
1969-70	46,512	2,913	1,532	680
1970-71	47,297	3,614	1,803	728
1971-72	47,355	4,285	2,041	806
1972-73	46,824	5,148	2,155	743
1973-74	47,800	6,422	2,333	808
1974-75	48,231	7,450	2,702	842
1975-76	48,582	9,660	3,094	883
1976-77	49,958	8,469	2,999	878
1977-78	49,132	9,452	3,204	975
1978-79	48,225	11,004	3,708	1,078
1979-80	48,101	9,586	3,954	1,059

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 241,569,514	$ 54,197,743	$ 38,861,263	$ 38,753,000	$ 24,346,218
1966-67	277,732,088	62,665,122	43,688,901	43,625,932	26,934,563
1967-68	305,020,170	67,324,010	47,961,481	48,993,220	30,457,140
1968-69	350,697,556	75,997,640	54,881,605	57,380,026	35,602,140
1969-70	376,353,439	83,275,577	66,740,281	59,823,658	35,128,480
1970-71	394,638,725	90,854,153	71,029,119	63,785,538	33,713,820
1971-72	449,312,519	93,836,827	80,167,617	69,202,708	44,435,500
1972-73	526,869,436	110,106,503	87,878,575	83,553,951	55,473,915
1973-74	593,759,650	135,303,236	96,793,187	93,872,637	62,716,246
1974-75	609,617,072	153,573,214	103,914,411	99,872,328	65,420,391
1975-76	688,609,280	175,072,638	124,030,612	111,212,136	65,329,085
1976-77	744,801,477	186,124,926	134,865,777	117,894,418	65,330,905
1977-78	819,529,647	205,089,565	148,460,978	128,889,138	79,987,759
1978-79	913,721,582	227,174,402	166,982,225	147,360,648	90,901,806

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 5,321,637.80
1966-67	6,315,295.30
1967-68	6,932,968.50
1968-69	8,004,879.50
1969-70	9,052,476.60
1970-71	9,594,628.00
1971-72	10,674,616.30
1972-73	12,404,195.60
1973-74	13,988,975.10
1974-75	14,661,156.00
1975-76	16,474,010.20
1976-77	17,463,617.50
1977-78	19,089,442.20
1978-79	20,965,386.20

Founded 1668

Currituck

County Seat: Currituck
Elevation: 8 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: None

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	172.2
WATER	115.9
TOTAL	288.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	83.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	42.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	6,601		
1970	6,976	0.2%	254
1971	7,163	1.8	28
1972	7,886	9.8	23
1973	8,765	10.8	26
1974	9,629	9.5	29
1975	10,031	3.9	26
1976	10,212	1.6	20
1977	10,139	- 0.9	17
1978	10,647	4.5	49

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,751
1971	2,784
1972	3,139
1973	3,877
1974	3,991
1975	3,812
1976	4,317
1977	4,500
1978	4,897

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	4,054
REPUBLICAN	226
OTHER	179
TOTAL	4,459

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	2,710	2,560	150	5.5%
1971	2,710	2,560	150	5.5
1972	2,700	2,560	140	5.2
1973	2,670	2,540	130	4.9
1974	2,710	2,570	140	5.2
1975	2,720	2,550	170	6.3
1976	2,790	2,610	180	6.5
1977	2,890	2,700	190	6.6
1978	4,660	4,480	180	3.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	660	60	600
1971	740	110	630
1972	780	120	660
1973	930	160	770
1974	940	130	810
1975	1,010	120	890
1976	1,080	150	930
1977	1,110	180	930
1978	1,180	160	1,020

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	6
1966	NA	0	4
1967	NA	0	3
1968	NA	0	3
1969	NA	0	0
1970	NA	0	2
1971	NA	0	0
1972	0	0	3
1973	NA	0	2
1974	2	0	6
1975	NA	0	4
1976	0	0	0
1977	NA	0	2
1978	1	0	3
1979	NA	0	0

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 950	$ 600	75	15
1965 THRU 1969	55	0	8	0
1970 THRU 1974	75	15	70	0
1975 THRU 1979	0	0	0	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	38,714	$ 8,397,628
1966	38,699	7,794,928
1967	39,391	6,795,621
1968	38,550	7,888,630
1969	39,580	9,075,630
1970	39,154	6,621,000
1971	40,848	5,760,000
1972	39,471	7,173,000
1973	43,109	11,123,000
1974	41,590	14,938,000
1975	38,914	13,013,000
1976	41,328	15,046,000
1977	38,545	11,672,000
1978	NA	9,288,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	91	90	37	NA
1966-67	73	85	43	NA
1967-68	71	80	41	16
1968-69	92	71	39	16
1969-70	101	58	41	15
1970-71	116	52	42	12
1971-72	133	49	39	10
1972-73	116	43	39	5
1973-74	109	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	129	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	156	152	86	6
1976-77	166	139	87	6
1977-78	174	129	96	4
1978-79	189	126	96	5

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	2	8	144	0
1969	7	10	15	3
1970	11	11	9	0
1971	12	12	23	1
1972	11	14	15	1
1973	20	9	24	NA
1974	11	6	14	1
1975	19	2	18	2
1976	13	8	22	0
1977	21	7	NA	4
1978	27	6	NA	4
1979	15	4	47	3

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	70.75
MUNICIPAL	0.00
TOTAL	70.75
SECONDARY	
RURAL	161.89
MUNICIPAL	0.00
TOTAL	161.89
PAVED	180.45
UNPAVED	52.19
TOTAL	232.64

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	3,088	89	46	3
1966	3,197	96	57	9
1967	3,295	110	59	8
1968	3,447	115	74	5
1969	3,648	139	81	8
1970	3,709	173	99	5
1971	4,009	190	113	4
1972	4,457	201	107	12
1973	4,939	219	140	8
1974	5,371	207	127	9
1975	5,812	235	146	2
1976	6,361	235	163	9
1977	6,844	280	203	12
1978	7,652	267	177	12
1979	8,043	241	176	6

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	1,705	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,619	NA	58	19
1967-68	1,632	136	45	16
1968-69	1,668	123	45	14
1969-70	1,677	137	37	15
1970-71	1,795	302	46	11
1971-72	1,984	157	49	16
1972-73	2,215	221	59	18
1973-74	2,513	241	61	22
1974-75	2,511	326	64	45
1975-76	2,595	290	87	26
1976-77	2,535	230	89	13
1977-78	2,646	176	83	19
1978-79	2,614	262	82	14
1979-80	2,434	359	76	10

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 7,343,601	$ 1,306,437	$ 1,590,898	$ 1,365,697	$ 110,516
1966-67	8,029,093	1,361,341	1,990,251	1,311,436	312,073
1967-68	8,058,464	1,475,881	2,583,641	1,252,025	348,589
1968-69	8,791,866	1,577,518	2,820,126	1,372,406	396,628
1969-70	9,182,794	1,644,747	2,981,468	1,576,618	415,975
1970-71	11,149,289	2,107,424	3,926,497	1,764,577	542,691
1971-72	12,457,525	2,429,000	4,369,899	1,967,055	656,992
1972-73	17,205,298	2,575,674	7,315,140	2,097,949	875,820
1973-74	25,605,882	3,015,827	11,860,653	2,448,952	1,232,155
1974-75	34,084,482	4,488,599	16,658,860	2,355,199	1,325,687
1975-76	35,103,924	6,031,481	17,496,839	2,368,487	1,734,232
1976-77	39,362,049	5,412,393	20,041,871	3,289,505	1,844,176
1977-78	40,292,764	6,097,340	20,453,848	3,129,281	2,093,165
1978-79	40,168,364	7,248,747	18,746,390	3,094,077	2,179,436

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 97,223.50
1966-67	95,986.80
1967-68	100,463.20
1968-69	109,279.80
1969-70	114,754.00
1970-71	138,173.70
1971-72	167,158.70
1972-73	212,806.00
1973-74	257,018.60
1974-75	298,907.20
1975-76	362,394.40
1976-77	393,884.30
1977-78	473,650.20
1978-79	547,411.80

Founded 1870

Dare

County Seat: Manteo
Elevation: 12 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Kill Devil Hills, Manteo, Nags Head, Southern Shores

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	247.2
WATER	564.6
TOTAL	811.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	184.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	0.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	6.1

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	5,935		
1970	6,995	0.9%	454
1971	7,459	4.9	34
1972	7,459	- 0.2	17
1973	8,012	7.1	21
1974	8,814	9.5	40
1975	9,169	3.6	35
1976	9,624	4.7	23
1977	10,164	5.3	30
1978	10,813	6.0	40

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,730
1971	2,936
1972	3,460
1973	4,156
1974	4,277
1975	4,677
1976	5,151
1977	5,654
1978	6,101

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	5,286
REPUBLICAN	899
OTHER	380
TOTAL	6,565

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	2,930	2,790	140	4.8%
1971	3,080	2,890	190	6.2
1972	3,620	3,420	200	5.5
1973	4,020	3,800	220	5.5
1974	4,250	4,000	250	5.9
1975	4,520	4,270	250	5.5
1976	5,050	4,770	280	5.5
1977	5,560	5,240	320	5.8
1978	6,230	5,950	280	4.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,000	50	1,950
1971	2,080	50	2,030
1972	2,460	60	2,400
1973	2,790	60	2,730
1974	3,000	70	2,930
1975	3,170	140	3,030
1976	3,570	110	3,460
1977	3,920	140	3,780
1978	4,490	140	4,350

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	8	1
1966	NA	8	3
1967	NA	8	2
1968	NA	8	4
1969	NA	8	1
1970	NA	0	3
1971	NA	0	2
1972	3	0	3
1973	NA	0	3
1974	4	0	2
1975	NA	0	2
1976	6	0	3
1977	NA	0	2
1978	4	0	3
1979	NA	0	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 25	0	0
1965 THRU 1969	50	0	85	0
1970 THRU 1974	0	180	0	15
1975 THRU 1979	781	35	55	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	418	$ 27,159
1966	362	28,106
1967	346	22,951
1968	345	21,825
1969	345	24,797
1970	354	76,000
1971	329	67,000
1972	273	93,000
1973	277	131,000
1974	268	212,000
1975	282	196,000
1976	328	202,000
1977	394	250,000
1978	NA	220,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	93	79	47	NA
1966-67	96	72	45	NA
1967-68	97	66	46	31
1968-69	89	61	42	28
1969-70	89	57	43	26
1970-71	121	56	46	24
1971-72	98	55	42	23
1972-73	93	48	38	21
1973-74	100	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	103	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	118	111	78	19
1976-77	173	97	82	17
1977-78	163	86	78	14
1978-79	143	76	71	13

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	18	16	33	0
1969	4	9	33	0
1970	18	4	29	1
1971	16	5	52	0
1972	19	5	87	0
1973	13	3	78	NA
1974	18	4	46	1
1975	26	7	61	0
1976	17	7	54	0
1977	17	3	NA	1
1978	35	12	NA	3
1979	26	3	58	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	121.60
MUNICIPAL	25.84
TOTAL	147.44
SECONDARY	
RURAL	80.91
MUNICIPAL	8.16
TOTAL	89.07
PAVED	209.48
UNPAVED	27.03
TOTAL	236.51

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	3,306	140	59	1
1966	3,754	154	94	10
1967	3,689	154	72	6
1968	3,653	155	72	8
1969	3,973	193	89	9
1970	4,008	230	104	7
1971	4,466	242	111	6
1972	5,045	256	125	3
1973	5,648	272	150	5
1974	6,145	203	80	6
1975	6,538	241	134	6
1976	7,478	252	116	4
1977	8,226	327	146	3
1978	9,127	350	173	4
1979	10,034	346	185	2

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

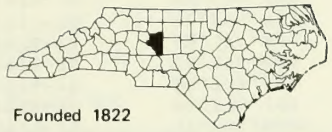
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	1,428	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,442	NA	41	27
1967-68	1,435	137	44	31
1968-69	1,473	215	50	32
1969-70	1,519	123	56	34
1970-71	1,595	290	65	35
1971-72	1,594	110	62	30
1972-73	1,697	262	67	29
1973-74	1,897	245	97	31
1974-75	1,957	292	72	42
1975-76	2,123	329	92	21
1976-77	2,245	330	100	19
1977-78	2,289	82	108	29
1978-79	2,283	351	117	47
1979-80	2,256	360	138	34

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 14,920,985	$ 5,224,559	$ 1,750,591	$ 2,037,379	$ 610,607
1966-67	16,692,708	5,998,626	1,578,728	2,555,634	730,511
1967-68	17,577,479	6,355,425	1,692,463	2,858,100	1,171,661
1968-69	20,783,047	7,351,320	1,880,317	3,078,857	1,442,651
1969-70	23,490,677	8,290,331	2,233,136	3,415,578	1,558,067
1970-71	28,290,561	10,064,901	2,490,857	3,665,557	1,969,095
1971-72	32,222,254	10,613,680	2,836,392	3,766,756	2,721,387
1972-73	37,881,600	11,970,108	3,146,422	4,266,188	3,979,087
1973-74	44,676,705	14,281,444	3,580,321	4,958,574	4,720,705
1974-75	48,731,661	16,371,291	3,786,654	5,554,646	3,705,680
1975-76	58,898,486	19,883,391	4,653,185	5,974,857	4,698,678
1976-77	68,376,390	22,949,743	5,704,026	6,656,196	6,030,321
1977-78	81,284,887	28,615,675	7,016,338	7,053,901	8,238,260
1978-79	97,425,336	36,103,086	8,484,690	7,598,754	9,135,609

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 374,403.20
1966-67	418,428.60
1967-68	443,131.50
1968-69	527,644.20
1969-70	601,800.00
1970-71	730,198.10
1971-72	835,421.70
1972-73	983,030.20
1973-74	1,178,234.10
1974-75	1,265,444.20
1975-76	1,541,919.20
1976-77	1,784,346.30
1977-78	2,118,351.70
1978-79	2,484,545.50



Founded 1822

Davidson

County Seat: Lexington
Elevation: 810 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Denton, High Point (Part), Lexington, Thomasville

AREA (thousands of acres)

LAND	346.8
WATER	13.5
TOTAL	360.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	178.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	112.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	37.8

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	79,493		
1970	95,627	0.6%	10947
1971	97,351	0.3	1350
1972	98,460	0.2	891
1973	99,874	0.7	747
1974	99,905	- 0.7	719
1975	100,424	- 0.1	612
1976	100,574	- 0.4	580
1977	101,674	0.5	628
1978	103,167	0.8	634

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,405
1971	3,592
1972	3,934
1973	4,315
1974	4,747
1975	4,959
1976	5,579
1977	6,112
1978	6,913

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	27,570
REPUBLICAN	16,609
OTHER	1,948
TOTAL	46,127

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	44,170	42,190	1,980	4.5%
1971	45,750	43,020	2,730	6.0
1972	46,470	44,870	1,600	3.4
1973	47,310	45,780	1,530	3.2
1974	50,020	48,170	1,850	3.7
1975	51,160	46,650	4,510	8.8
1976	51,270	48,280	2,990	5.8
1977	52,990	50,110	2,880	5.4
1978	53,700	51,970	1,730	3.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	31,790	19,890	11,900
1971	31,730	19,470	12,260
1972	32,500	20,410	12,090
1973	33,660	20,520	13,140
1974	35,100	21,570	13,530
1975	33,710	20,270	13,440
1976	35,700	21,740	13,960
1977	36,140	22,290	13,850
1978	38,250	23,180	15,070

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	184	40
1966	NA	153	45
1967	NA	161	45
1968	NA	161	46
1969	NA	161	44
1970	NA	161	46
1971	NA	159	51
1972	23	254	34
1973	NA	258	26
1974	26	258	18
1975	NA	254	15
1976	32	254	19
1977	NA	254	24
1978	36	254	23
1979	NA	251	12

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 8,023	$ 10,649	1,898	1,815
1965 THRU 1969	49,194	43,953	1,750	1,773
1970 THRU 1974	16,787	21,594	664	405
1975 THRU 1979	9,855	72,628	800	1,597

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	89,015	$ 10,418,244
1966	91,834	10,595,704
1967	89,916	11,135,967
1968	85,810	10,473,973
1969	78,639	11,443,974
1970	77,582	9,330,000
1971	76,697	9,714,000
1972	76,479	10,206,000
1973	70,559	13,420,000
1974	62,241	13,385,000
1975	64,331	13,294,000
1976	68,802	16,317,000
1977	66,506	15,328,000
1978	NA	19,720,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	949	458	285	NA
1966-67	807	436	286	NA
1967-68	856	431	288	84
1968-69	818	421	286	85
1969-70	954	413	282	84
1970-71	1,329	372	320	78
1971-72	1,771	360	376	77
1972-73	1,535	338	360	83
1973-74	1,359	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,678	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,149	813	769	72
1976-77	2,112	736	768	63
1977-78	2,095	692	766	65
1978-79	1,965	641	800	56

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	142	35	405	43
1969	162	45	478	53
1970	145	42	527	38
1971	182	51	552	37
1972	199	55	574	32
1973	198	48	617	NA
1974	199	64	605	11
1975	225	85	598	13
1976	121	82	452	9
1977	195	81	NA	19
1978	135	81	NA	13
1979	154	83	575	11

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	166.20
MUNICIPAL	13.80
TOTAL	180.00
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,167.08
MUNICIPAL	38.64
TOTAL	1,205.72
PAVED	1,084.12
UNPAVED	301.60
TOTAL	1,385.72

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	41,157	1,877	1,139	35
1966	44,108	2,050	1,096	34
1967	46,462	2,143	1,230	30
1968	48,931	2,395	1,291	33
1969	50,989	2,620	1,318	35
1970	52,206	2,477	1,155	41
1971	55,049	2,488	1,282	38
1972	58,669	2,335	1,312	40
1973	62,104	2,544	1,501	41
1974	63,147	2,246	1,367	30
1975	64,869	2,295	1,527	34
1976	68,718	2,555	1,612	38
1977	71,592	2,835	1,733	21
1978	75,703	3,163	1,843	30
1979	77,680	3,089	1,915	43

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	21,494	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	21,993	NA	614	479
1967-68	22,359	1,235	693	477
1968-69	22,539	1,423	717	438
1969-70	22,858	2,673	751	394
1970-71	22,922	2,889	774	328
1971-72	22,944	3,330	812	340
1972-73	22,857	3,907	834	360
1973-74	23,334	3,401	802	351
1974-75	23,736	4,175	836	334
1975-76	24,073	4,091	891	361
1976-77	24,587	4,081	893	372
1977-78	24,585	4,544	925	380
1978-79	24,386	4,816	938	438
1979-80	24,054	4,782	956	384

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 122,854,860	$ 30,216,689	$ 15,675,132	$ 24,837,454	$ 14,171,914
1966-67	126,291,610	33,270,353	17,340,454	26,149,467	12,227,413
1967-68	134,971,860	35,047,614	18,264,055	27,767,119	12,498,297
1968-69	154,590,355	37,450,166	21,883,901	31,006,568	15,136,351
1969-70	167,728,239	40,051,758	26,061,191	35,173,474	14,388,146
1970-71	179,306,497	41,067,740	28,222,245	39,811,205	14,905,329
1971-72	210,146,357	42,929,230	33,082,479	44,665,457	18,773,197
1972-73	234,855,799	48,548,227	33,579,214	49,911,389	21,255,345
1973-74	252,696,727	56,710,984	35,964,139	52,263,411	23,736,656
1974-75	255,050,271	63,043,716	36,525,339	54,203,169	22,013,428
1975-76	286,834,520	69,803,238	39,847,633	61,921,329	24,623,621
1976-77	324,821,299	75,562,239	43,786,424	67,278,205	26,560,609
1977-78	366,053,060	82,533,736	47,572,405	80,021,885	31,128,245
1978-79	396,614,677	94,520,849	51,907,805	87,446,863	36,568,542

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,601,852.70
1966-67	2,831,698.10
1967-68	2,951,935.50
1968-69	3,315,390.40
1969-70	3,679,959.20
1970-71	4,009,033.90
1971-72	4,449,942.80
1972-73	4,972,798.20
1973-74	5,362,506.80
1974-75	5,365,780.80
1975-76	5,949,723.20
1976-77	6,577,390.90
1977-78	7,461,684.50
1978-79	8,104,076.50

Founded 1836

Davie

County Seat: Mocksville
Elevation: 866 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Mocksville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	168.4
WATER	0.6
TOTAL	169.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	74.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	68.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	16.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	16,728		
1970	18,855	0.2%	1801
1971	19,180	0.3	248
1972	19,343	0.0	168
1973	19,958	2.5	129
1974	20,575	2.5	118
1975	21,025	1.6	129
1976	21,332	0.8	133
1977	21,962	2.4	126
1978	22,484	1.9	111

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,923
1971	3,194
1972	3,682
1973	4,109
1974	4,424
1975	4,726
1976	5,329
1977	5,775
1978	6,473

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	5,212
REPUBLICAN	6,258
OTHER	356
TOTAL	11,826

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	8,400	8,040	360	4.3%
1971	8,610	8,290	320	3.7
1972	9,090	8,830	260	2.9
1973	9,370	9,170	200	2.1
1974	9,430	9,150	280	3.0
1975	9,780	8,960	820	8.4
1976	9,980	9,410	570	5.7
1977	10,330	9,710	620	6.0
1978	10,010	9,600	410	4.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	4,330	2,400	1,930
1971	4,520	2,520	2,000
1972	4,760	2,830	1,930
1973	5,020	2,960	2,060
1974	5,140	3,000	2,140
1975	4,980	2,810	2,170
1976	5,250	3,000	2,250
1977	5,520	3,100	2,420
1978	5,530	3,000	2,530

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	30	14
1966	NA	76	13
1967	NA	76	9
1968	NA	75	12
1969	NA	75	2
1970	NA	75	2
1971	NA	75	7
1972	5	73	6
1973	NA	73	7
1974	5	87	4
1975	NA	87	5
1976	6	87	1
1977	NA	87	3
1978	6	87	2
1979	NA	83	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 27,655	$ 297	1,220	47
1965 THRU 1969	12,875	5,672	784	205
1970 THRU 1974	3,405	6,264	238	40
1975 THRU 1979	40,450	10,722	475	383

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	47,125	$ 8,289,914
1966	45,629	8,452,868
1967	44,112	9,614,944
1968	42,355	9,542,883
1969	41,139	12,687,711
1970	40,389	9,065,000
1971	40,015	9,095,000
1972	38,350	10,452,000
1973	38,678	13,316,000
1974	37,291	13,756,000
1975	37,268	11,929,000
1976	41,764	14,375,000
1977	38,666	13,389,000
1978	NA	15,579,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	286	180	77	NA
1966-67	248	179	72	NA
1967-68	238	161	65	15
1968-69	237	145	56	15
1969-70	270	138	66	14
1970-71	371	129	78	11
1971-72	422	129	87	11
1972-73	376	119	88	14
1973-74	364	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	463	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	500	289	195	9
1976-77	455	256	186	7
1977-78	402	266	186	7
1978-79	341	241	206	5

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	14	3	87	1
1969	16	3	99	2
1970	26	10	114	6
1971	40	7	105	1
1972	28	6	98	1
1973	35	5	106	NA
1974	30	4	113	0
1975	22	6	115	0
1976	25	6	121	4
1977	20	11	NA	3
1978	19	4	NA	4
1979	21	5	105	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	100.87
MUNICIPAL	6.08
TOTAL	106.95
SECONDARY	
RURAL	381.81
MUNICIPAL	3.34
TOTAL	385.15
PAVED	342.93
UNPAVED	149.17
TOTAL	492.10

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	9,495	362	250	9
1966	10,016	360	219	14
1967	10,336	362	206	8
1968	11,085	419	254	9
1969	11,510	429	193	8
1970	11,758	467	233	9
1971	12,412	371	183	12
1972	13,312	350	197	8
1973	14,371	337	212	4
1974	15,013	349	229	7
1975	15,855	328	213	3
1976	16,858	337	198	2
1977	18,110	364	239	3
1978	19,448	353	241	9
1979	20,293	330	202	6

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall)	
			Public	Private
1965-66	4,165	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	4,150	NA	110	83
1967-68	4,298	337	122	73
1968-69	4,379	392	129	88
1969-70	4,385	538	143	99
1970-71	4,417	478	140	93
1971-72	4,408	604	160	73
1972-73	4,420	701	161	73
1973-74	4,604	706	152	76
1974-75	4,737	680	144	93
1975-76	4,868	694	163	110
1976-77	5,121	751	174	112
1977-78	5,222	686	187	127
1978-79	5,285	961	209	118
1979-80	5,239	959	211	135

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 19,132,411	$ 5,280,199	$ 2,825,026	$ 4,821,775	$ 1,130,664
1966-67	21,082,005	5,523,745	3,379,084	5,186,565	1,246,220
1967-68	24,062,341	5,883,054	3,694,141	6,126,340	1,652,435
1968-69	27,136,025	6,165,867	3,795,282	7,123,887	2,382,264
1969-70	28,712,749	6,538,299	4,085,693	7,356,721	2,807,385
1970-71	27,623,630	6,401,617	4,245,874	6,926,106	2,109,684
1971-72	31,836,726	7,380,999	4,736,905	7,378,356	2,196,172
1972-73	35,451,633	8,381,300	5,138,184	8,192,216	2,477,008
1973-74	39,973,053	9,542,141	5,927,815	8,951,930	3,232,212
1974-75	41,625,000	10,691,575	5,881,211	9,518,217	4,152,488
1975-76	47,726,233	11,350,228	6,876,303	10,620,167	4,694,507
1976-77	52,821,153	12,259,377	7,558,917	11,752,060	5,662,429
1977-78	62,224,387	13,266,417	7,736,204	13,194,736	6,746,060
1978-79	66,758,421	15,244,400	8,637,300	14,764,651	9,227,717

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 380,557.80
1966-67	416,712.10
1967-68	458,572.70
1968-69	499,056.00
1969-70	556,311.80
1970-71	541,077.40
1971-72	624,028.70
1972-73	691,301.80
1973-74	787,569.00
1974-75	804,384.90
1975-76	892,488.70
1976-77	1,002,803.90
1977-78	1,120,188.90
1978-79	1,242,016.50

Founded 1750

Duplin

County Seat: Kenansville
Elevation: 127 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Beulaville, Calypso, Faison, Greenevers, Harrells (Part), Kenansville, Magnolia, Mount Olive (Part), Rose Hill, Teachey, Wallace, Warsaw

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	524.9
WATER	1.3
TOTAL	526.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	325.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	176.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	12.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	40,270		
1970	38,015	- 1.7%	4341
1971	38,015	- 0.0	344
1972	38,449	0.4	278
1973	39,009	0.8	258
1974	39,057	- 0.5	249
1975	39,805	1.2	260
1976	39,761	- 0.7	246
1977	39,948	- 0.1	224
1978	40,047	- 0.3	215

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,611
1971	2,810
1972	3,208
1973	4,489
1974	4,024
1975	4,635
1976	4,556
1977	4,592
1978	5,730

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	17,956
REPUBLICAN	2,125
OTHER	250
TOTAL	20,331

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	16,490	15,750	740	4.5%
1971	16,330	15,540	790	4.8
1972	17,460	16,540	920	5.3
1973	17,570	16,710	860	4.9
1974	17,440	16,320	1,120	6.4
1975	17,650	16,030	1,620	9.2
1976	18,290	16,700	1,590	8.7
1977	17,710	16,280	1,430	8.1
1978	17,430	16,640	790	4.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	8,320	3,720	4,600
1971	8,430	3,910	4,520
1972	8,900	4,210	4,690
1973	9,170	4,400	4,770
1974	9,340	4,360	4,980
1975	8,900	3,820	5,080
1976	9,340	3,840	5,500
1977	9,470	3,880	5,590
1978	10,020	4,140	5,880

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	75	24
1966	NA	74	10
1967	NA	80	12
1968	NA	80	17
1969	NA	80	22
1970	NA	80	12
1971	NA	105	11
1972	7	105	15
1973	NA	98	16
1974	8	98	7
1975	NA	84	8
1976	10	84	8
1977	NA	84	11
1978	11	84	13
1979	NA	91	4

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,522	$ 992	424	190
1965 THRU 1969	5,813	3,301	893	275
1970 THRU 1974	17,392	9,430	1,101	75
1975 THRU 1979	3,496	9,540	189	304

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	153,888	$ 54,888,666
1966	155,489	62,902,546
1967	155,933	65,163,558
1968	156,491	69,614,172
1969	155,766	81,389,265
1970	152,538	75,899,000
1971	153,582	75,731,000
1972	151,501	86,250,000
1973	149,804	143,314,000
1974	146,907	134,441,000
1975	145,277	149,410,000
1976	147,974	140,284,000
1977	149,447	133,963,000
1978	NA	168,338,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	879	353	295	NA
1966-67	747	322	300	NA
1967-68	763	302	293	53
1968-69	852	285	277	53
1969-70	872	288	278	52
1970-71	912	282	290	47
1971-72	1,116	294	323	51
1972-73	1,189	293	339	47
1973-74	1,179	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,438	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,703	1,137	773	39
1976-77	1,833	1,094	777	35
1977-78	1,915	1,066	786	40
1978-79	1,839	1,013	819	36

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	110	16	102	15
1969	92	21	111	9
1970	99	15	94	12
1971	100	21	103	2
1972	93	23	129	21
1973	132	17	139	NA
1974	94	13	208	17
1975	110	30	254	11
1976	88	27	267	6
1977	98	24	NA	8
1978	75	31	NA	4
1979	78	34	323	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	179.18
MUNICIPAL	22.95
TOTAL	202.13
SECONDARY	
RURAL	913.98
MUNICIPAL	30.84
TOTAL	944.82
PAVED	898.84
UNPAVED	248.11
TOTAL	1,146.95

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	15,697	659	407	12
1966	16,410	805	535	19
1967	17,304	800	449	11
1968	18,057	786	431	13
1969	18,544	738	417	22
1970	18,992	755	437	19
1971	20,206	839	439	20
1972	21,515	779	452	17
1973	22,873	725	476	26
1974	23,761	774	447	12
1975	24,506	813	473	15
1976	25,949	852	474	18
1977	26,757	841	479	12
1978	28,104	877	488	12
1979	28,717	898	488	6

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	10,994	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	10,704	NA	337	169
1967-68	10,613	693	347	177
1968-69	10,516	1,101	411	164
1969-70	10,150	1,581	372	175
1970-71	9,784	1,662	440	158
1971-72	9,700	2,129	459	135
1972-73	9,513	1,925	469	127
1973-74	9,924	1,452	443	107
1974-75	9,824	1,900	437	84
1975-76	9,652	1,840	468	106
1976-77	9,725	1,123	489	115
1977-78	9,629	2,173	459	121
1978-79	9,449	1,655	482	126
1979-80	9,131	1,774	514	115

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 59,262,535	$ 10,034,858	$ 18,754,225	$ 10,837,670	$ 1,621,672
1966-67	66,590,081	11,996,262	21,944,257	11,482,476	1,591,829
1967-68	64,929,707	11,544,833	21,934,556	11,844,061	1,615,029
1968-69	71,095,627	12,532,230	22,970,593	12,354,189	1,586,065
1969-70	60,050,845	13,839,340	12,288,213	13,293,426	1,826,000
1970-71	64,708,879	15,905,422	13,044,745	14,085,211	2,409,797
1971-72	73,289,224	17,176,722	13,581,905	15,793,203	2,509,649
1972-73	87,774,588	24,936,550	15,909,831	16,372,770	3,007,309
1973-74	91,567,135	25,253,337	18,282,185	18,870,734	3,505,559
1974-75	99,142,155	26,910,079	21,273,089	21,008,343	3,494,833
1975-76	114,109,957	30,910,429	23,279,116	23,652,413	4,024,066
1976-77	123,266,539	32,082,796	25,723,757	26,062,566	4,864,705
1977-78	137,491,730	39,576,691	28,100,596	27,935,870	5,440,422
1978-79	153,770,873	43,386,083	32,550,414	31,927,232	6,371,180

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 852,278.50
1966-67	927,223.20
1967-68	951,585.30
1968-69	1,011,568.40
1969-70	1,114,718.90
1970-71	1,252,649.00
1971-72	1,390,503.70
1972-73	1,576,422.70
1973-74	1,819,251.30
1974-75	1,893,213.50
1975-76	2,125,423.20
1976-77	2,309,833.80
1977-78	2,491,093.80
1978-79	2,744,180.70

Founded 1881

Durham

County Seat: Durham
Elevation: 406 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Chapel Hill (Part), Durham

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	190.1
WATER	1.8
TOTAL	191.9
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	121.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	34.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	19.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	111,995		
1970	132,681	0.6%	13162
1971	133,120	- 0.6	1518
1972	136,464	1.8	997
1973	138,835	1.1	833
1974	139,636	0.0	788
1975	140,078	- 0.2	724
1976	141,012	0.2	669
1977	143,222	1.0	750
1978	143,911	- 0.1	832

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,608
1971	4,062
1972	4,277
1973	4,640
1974	5,166
1975	5,793
1976	6,352
1977	6,926
1978	7,623

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	51,496
REPUBLICAN	9,656
OTHER	3,327
TOTAL	64,479

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	57,380	55,190	2,190	3.8%
1971	60,320	57,480	2,840	4.7
1972	64,060	61,800	2,260	3.5
1973	66,030	64,000	2,030	3.1
1974	70,620	68,480	2,140	3.0
1975	72,130	68,290	3,840	5.3
1976	73,750	70,170	3,580	4.9
1977	76,980	73,400	3,580	4.7
1978	79,620	76,850	2,770	3.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	57,580	13,360	44,220
1971	59,690	13,760	45,930
1972	63,400	14,200	49,200
1973	64,870	14,560	50,310
1974	67,770	15,610	52,160
1975	66,800	14,860	51,940
1976	69,170	15,060	54,110
1977	70,680	15,500	55,180
1978	76,350	16,270	60,080

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	1,036	59
1966	NA	1,101	47
1967	NA	1,101	45
1968	NA	1,192	44
1969	NA	1,188	45
1970	NA	1,188	59
1971	NA	1,231	39
1972	212	1,231	40
1973	NA	1,233	32
1974	224	1,278	26
1975	NA	1,278	31
1976	242	1,266	39
1977	NA	1,333	33
1978	271	1,333	22
1979	NA	1,344	33

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,880	$ 14,679	357	934
1965 THRU 1969	68,257	51,931	3,336	1,113
1970 THRU 1974	45,066	13,147	1,430	510
1975 THRU 1979	61,848	120,732	2,132	1,648

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	28,117	$ 5,370,640
1966	27,638	5,613,065
1967	25,819	5,912,602
1968	25,845	4,952,462
1969	23,788	6,024,846
1970	22,028	5,171,000
1971	21,987	5,365,000
1972	20,867	5,562,000
1973	19,733	7,475,000
1974	18,866	7,380,000
1975	18,547	6,980,000
1976	18,679	8,714,000
1977	19,320	9,103,000
1978	NA	10,460,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	4,764	1,071	718	NA
1966-67	5,265	1,063	788	NA
1967-68	5,347	1,078	869	170
1968-69	5,533	1,087	1,013	175
1969-70	6,581	1,155	1,198	192
1970-71	7,798	1,156	1,436	190
1971-72	8,454	1,170	1,521	201
1972-73	8,455	1,036	1,506	201
1973-74	8,210	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	9,056	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	9,294	1,736	2,168	160
1976-77	9,165	1,581	2,139	151
1977-78	8,612	1,502	2,147	145
1978-79	7,961	1,397	2,108	149

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	272	86	551	53
1969	227	103	515	52
1970	309	101	601	53
1971	235	95	531	35
1972	241	121	514	38
1973	170	102	678	NA
1974	174	103	801	28
1975	225	133	1,019	21
1976	253	129	1,116	19
1977	215	107	NA	26
1978	165	133	NA	12
1979	175	115	1,179	24

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	68.15
MUNICIPAL	50.88
TOTAL	119.03
SECONDARY	
RURAL	555.38
MUNICIPAL	65.32
TOTAL	620.70
PAVED	525.76
UNPAVED	213.97
TOTAL	739.73

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	54,665	2,981	1,487	37
1966	59,545	3,233	1,629	31
1967	62,971	3,564	1,825	36
1968	66,735	3,834	1,679	37
1969	69,616	3,918	1,620	21
1970	72,509	3,989	1,833	36
1971	76,392	4,268	1,895	22
1972	82,713	4,183	2,061	22
1973	88,442	4,123	2,219	27
1974	90,943	4,006	2,027	12
1975	94,499	4,367	2,299	28
1976	97,854	4,112	2,118	20
1977	103,170	4,439	2,353	24
1978	109,059	5,076	2,483	22
1979	113,428	4,966	2,405	22

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

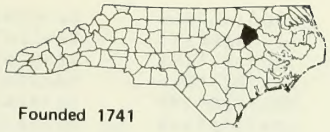
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	27,238	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	27,638	NA	1,456	695
1967-68	28,012	1,693	1,719	615
1968-69	28,177	1,643	1,676	624
1969-70	28,032	1,771	2,273	450
1970-71	27,343	1,674	2,023	508
1971-72	27,241	1,990	2,310	497
1972-73	26,884	2,414	2,460	450
1973-74	27,094	1,838	2,433	399
1974-75	26,760	3,346	2,604	441
1975-76	27,030	2,982	2,818	462
1976-77	27,614	3,377	2,796	482
1977-78	27,325	3,483	2,876	501
1978-79	27,019	3,985	2,858	734
1979-80	26,753	4,349	2,965	685

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 248,577,492	$ 52,838,890	$ 45,334,474	$ 35,310,479	$ 26,167,803
1966-67	256,775,194	55,478,809	47,197,212	36,237,053	25,571,243
1967-68	277,221,385	60,915,641	53,086,831	38,030,784	26,565,357
1968-69	296,606,985	65,801,706	58,118,404	44,300,613	31,608,604
1969-70	311,220,060	72,962,411	63,247,149	47,937,869	30,317,230
1970-71	332,207,026	80,443,621	67,194,895	51,099,617	29,463,180
1971-72	372,910,081	81,795,062	74,422,205	57,363,629	30,718,613
1972-73	409,961,419	90,608,313	76,900,705	62,293,509	32,486,373
1973-74	444,701,983	108,581,850	92,975,688	67,343,984	34,935,238
1974-75	461,077,973	121,102,873	89,995,641	73,616,139	34,976,784
1975-76	520,428,487	137,757,264	108,886,375	80,432,966	34,698,014
1976-77	567,877,821	142,268,736	118,021,955	90,567,454	36,094,547
1977-78	627,579,771	159,722,187	124,256,519	103,601,187	40,459,631
1978-79	693,187,986	174,084,066	135,988,149	114,189,679	50,066,457

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 6,025,398.50
1966-67	6,352,827.90
1967-68	7,014,172.10
1968-69	7,624,030.40
1969-70	8,094,914.50
1970-71	8,798,796.90
1971-72	9,615,947.10
1972-73	10,636,995.80
1973-74	11,629,961.70
1974-75	12,248,707.30
1975-76	13,661,597.60
1976-77	14,520,894.70
1977-78	16,363,148.70
1978-79	18,293,269.50



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Edgecombe

County Seat: Tarboro
Elevation: 54 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Battleboro (Part), Coakley, Conetoe, Lawrence, Leggett, Macclesfield, Mildred, Old Sparta, Pinetops, Princeville, Rocky Mount (Part), Sharpsburg (Part), Speed, Tarboro, Whitakers (Part)

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	325.6
WATER	1.4
TOTAL	327.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	152.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	150.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	12.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	54,226		
1970	52,341	- 1.6%	6738
1971	51,890	- 1.6	570
1972	52,239	0.0	366
1973	52,638	0.1	328
1974	53,075	0.2	342
1975	54,033	1.1	348
1976	54,492	0.2	337
1977	54,988	0.1	420
1978	55,467	0.0	456

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,869
1971	3,191
1972	3,627
1973	4,226
1974	4,758
1975	5,027
1976	5,496
1977	5,708
1978	6,427

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	17,425
REPUBLICAN	2,030
OTHER	283
TOTAL	19,738

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	21,850	20,630	1,220	5.6%
1971	22,490	21,310	1,180	5.2
1972	24,540	23,100	1,440	5.9
1973	26,480	25,010	1,470	5.6
1974	26,720	24,930	1,790	6.7
1975	27,100	24,460	2,640	9.7
1976	27,620	25,650	1,970	7.1
1977	28,500	25,880	2,620	9.2
1978	28,240	26,570	1,670	5.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	14,220	5,340	8,880
1971	15,160	6,170	8,990
1972	15,930	6,790	9,140
1973	17,040	7,990	9,050
1974	18,450	8,120	10,330
1975	17,460	7,320	10,140
1976	18,090	7,610	10,480
1977	17,780	7,270	10,510
1978	18,950	7,420	11,530

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	132	33
1966	NA	118	31
1967	NA	123	35
1968	NA	123	25
1969	NA	122	32
1970	NA	172	30
1971	NA	171	25
1972	17	140	25
1973	NA	127	21
1974	14	114	22
1975	NA	127	16
1976	18	127	11
1977	NA	127	21
1978	15	127	13
1979	NA	123	11

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 11,085	$ 2,312	2,430	335
1965 THRU 1969	8,645	16,911	665	800
1970 THRU 1974	13,708	8,932	1,340	850
1975 THRU 1979	7,700	11,126	375	702

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	124,305	$ 23,888,744
1966	122,851	25,671,959
1967	126,324	25,973,066
1968	123,564	25,063,576
1969	123,965	27,875,089
1970	127,293	30,531,000
1971	126,955	29,855,000
1972	123,062	33,759,000
1973	123,349	44,621,000
1974	122,471	51,100,000
1975	122,785	52,328,000
1976	125,039	52,624,000
1977	126,154	47,085,000
1978	NA	57,588,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	748	476	215	NA
1966-67	971	465	249	NA
1967-68	1,261	468	283	75
1968-69	1,537	471	293	75
1969-70	2,086	478	327	71
1970-71	2,310	460	341	67
1971-72	2,526	447	377	67
1972-73	2,327	410	393	62
1973-74	2,010	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,013	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,258	1,102	896	62
1976-77	2,685	1,008	897	45
1977-78	3,198	987	913	42
1978-79	3,575	953	945	40

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	146	21	160	25
1969	109	19	147	30
1970	115	23	204	19
1971	143	16	231	14
1972	128	18	228	25
1973	125	24	254	NA
1974	122	28	375	20
1975	148	35	422	7
1976	211	38	392	15
1977	115	31	NA	23
1978	114	51	NA	20
1979	105	44	317	20

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	166.47
MUNICIPAL	18.90
TOTAL	185.37
SECONDARY	
RURAL	490.26
MUNICIPAL	22.74
TOTAL	513.00
PAVED	611.75
UNPAVED	86.62
TOTAL	698.37

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	31,330	747	473	17
1966	33,526	793	463	20
1967	35,164	882	508	10
1968	36,675	860	466	27
1969	38,599	899	466	23
1970	39,990	935	425	17
1971	42,592	1,019	552	18
1972	45,831	1,067	619	17
1973	49,245	1,050	719	20
1974	51,543	996	566	16
1975	53,944	1,031	622	17
1976	57,218	1,042	639	15
1977	59,962	1,026	561	17
1978	62,911	1,017	576	12
1979	64,540	1,074	581	17

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	12,101	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	11,919	NA	500	254
1967-68	11,886	448	552	243
1968-69	11,659	1,529	545	252
1969-70	11,436	1,448	461	250
1970-71	11,023	1,992	560	265
1971-72	10,681	1,580	644	318
1972-73	10,342	2,362	652	277
1973-74	10,526	1,771	664	207
1974-75	10,314	1,722	661	294
1975-76	10,344	2,452	654	271
1976-77	10,209	2,111	687	273
1977-78	9,908	1,664	718	348
1978-79	9,695	2,056	657	361
1979-80	9,625	1,482	695	367

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 72,961,031	$ 17,688,795	$ 13,965,567	$ 10,998,873	$ 8,543,760
1966-67	73,639,912	18,507,406	12,029,351	12,007,049	8,176,251
1967-68	76,416,189	19,401,025	12,626,334	12,596,598	7,504,870
1968-69	84,654,540	19,818,490	13,872,881	13,384,623	8,836,423
1969-70	84,559,709	22,318,417	14,801,853	12,838,545	7,952,679
1970-71	87,002,419	25,924,519	15,362,268	13,067,838	5,276,912
1971-72	98,617,775	26,622,924	19,776,053	14,541,593	5,787,668
1972-73	115,650,424	31,297,065	22,372,509	16,407,571	6,247,762
1973-74	131,625,223	36,121,849	24,936,411	18,990,641	5,852,866
1974-75	153,219,948	37,949,771	32,598,033	21,153,181	6,354,294
1975-76	163,558,884	38,556,271	32,815,567	23,880,808	6,720,863
1976-77	166,963,952	39,169,304	33,166,923	25,830,411	6,303,824
1977-78	178,971,107	44,948,424	36,845,764	26,750,002	8,588,239
1978-79	202,685,268	47,732,909	47,644,569	30,201,389	9,184,428

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,593,474.90
1966-67	1,619,596.50
1967-68	1,663,233.00
1968-69	1,842,385.10
1969-70	1,870,414.10
1970-71	1,928,474.30
1971-72	2,274,193.30
1972-73	2,587,108.70
1973-74	2,880,740.30
1974-75	3,227,135.60
1975-76	3,398,658.70
1976-77	3,354,827.40
1977-78	3,664,633.10
1978-79	4,018,136.00

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Forsyth

County Seat: Winston-Salem
Elevation: 858 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Kernersville, Rural Hall, Winston-Salem

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	269.2
WATER	2.5
TOTAL	271.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	115.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	89.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	43.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	189,428		
1970	215,118	0.1%	23881
1971	217,942	0.1	2507
1972	222,473	1.3	1662
1973	222,861	- 0.4	1369
1974	224,325	0.1	1235
1975	225,455	0.0	1091
1976	226,236	- 0.1	998
1977	227,880	0.2	1082
1978	231,321	1.0	1100

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$4,032
1971	4,291
1972	4,699
1973	5,236
1974	5,759
1975	6,214
1976	6,933
1977	7,601
1978	8,304

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	78,457
REPUBLICAN	30,479
OTHER	6,667
TOTAL	115,603

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	99,240	94,910	4,330	4.4%
1971	101,910	96,800	5,110	5.0
1972	104,750	100,940	3,810	3.6
1973	106,500	102,990	3,510	3.3
1974	110,810	106,870	3,940	3.6
1975	112,440	104,430	8,010	7.1
1976	114,870	108,510	6,360	5.5
1977	118,590	112,620	5,970	5.0
1978	120,370	115,840	4,530	3.8

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	96,310	38,320	57,990
1971	95,740	36,060	59,680
1972	99,430	37,370	62,060
1973	103,830	39,440	64,390
1974	107,110	40,450	66,660
1975	103,570	38,030	65,540
1976	108,600	38,210	70,390
1977	113,030	40,050	72,980
1978	121,300	41,450	79,850

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	1,165	104
1966	NA	1,347	100
1967	NA	1,407	87
1968	NA	1,404	87
1969	NA	1,402	81
1970	NA	1,512	70
1971	NA	1,512	45
1972	172	1,658	64
1973	NA	1,928	64
1974	162	1,731	49
1975	NA	1,701	59
1976	194	1,519	53
1977	NA	1,519	35
1978	234	1,565	50
1979	NA	1,474	41

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 7,202	$ 97,730	1,401	2,777
1965 THRU 1969	130,198	143,071	2,902	4,033
1970 THRU 1974	43,271	131,316	646	780
1975 THRU 1979	32,684	332,666	981	1,574

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	56,123	$ 16,826,666
1966	53,813	15,745,849
1967	54,396	16,753,890
1968	49,491	15,590,371
1969	48,026	16,110,378
1970	47,651	9,248,000
1971	NA	9,731,000
1972	NA	10,199,000
1973	NA	13,487,000
1974	38,897	13,869,000
1975	36,993	13,646,000
1976	38,150	12,448,000
1977	37,669	11,451,000
1978	NA	17,261,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	7,192	1,392	1,166	NA
1966-67	7,000	1,407	1,213	NA
1967-68	7,111	1,462	1,298	178
1968-69	6,809	1,468	1,378	179
1969-70	7,265	1,433	1,468	171
1970-71	8,855	1,360	1,615	172
1971-72	10,358	1,321	1,885	195
1972-73	10,761	1,188	1,946	186
1973-74	10,527	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	11,241	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	11,534	1,985	2,634	166
1976-77	11,417	1,844	2,582	171
1977-78	10,998	1,737	2,517	158
1978-79	10,123	1,692	2,517	166

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	656	90	602	67
1969	643	112	748	80
1970	593	127	908	104
1971	456	131	680	87
1972	357	157	1,000	63
1973	378	134	1,276	NA
1974	339	145	1,852	82
1975	458	208	2,058	66
1976	467	204	1,984	29
1977	479	158	NA	61
1978	439	189	NA	44
1979	457	174	1,335	28

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	137.83
MUNICIPAL	57.97
TOTAL	195.80
SECONDARY	
RURAL	881.45
MUNICIPAL	108.48
TOTAL	989.93
PAVED	964.84
UNPAVED	220.89
TOTAL	1,185.73

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	101,795	3,535	1,851	39
1966	110,208	3,948	1,910	40
1967	114,680	4,324	1,995	37
1968	121,552	4,972	2,312	54
1969	127,991	5,560	2,410	57
1970	134,236	56	2,514	54
1971	142,499	6,332	2,563	46
1972	150,460	5,640	2,548	54
1973	160,203	5,701	2,998	51
1974	163,090	5,459	147	44
1975	170,675	5,922	3,154	41
1976	177,360	6,442	3,248	35
1977	186,162	6,657	3,464	36
1978	195,246	7,435	3,766	41
1979	201,148	7,395	3,721	40

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	48,030	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	48,662	NA	1,995	1,411
1967-68	49,453	2,463	2,110	1,410
1968-69	50,545	2,970	2,201	1,393
1969-70	51,018	3,605	2,353	1,487
1970-71	50,313	4,740	2,641	1,484
1971-72	48,616	4,520	2,946	1,518
1972-73	47,402	3,922	3,128	1,504
1973-74	47,138	4,521	3,336	1,321
1974-75	46,488	5,478	3,660	1,397
1975-76	46,130	6,597	3,958	1,433
1976-77	46,444	6,268	4,019	1,553
1977-78	45,866	7,426	4,157	1,574
1978-79	44,898	7,844	4,283	1,656
1979-80	44,260	8,052	4,418	1,679

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 440,612,018	$ 90,263,391	$ 64,207,000	$ 72,695,986	$ 44,767,557
1966-67	455,217,014	95,452,966	74,338,662	76,988,138	41,259,218
1967-68	498,568,254	104,210,767	90,068,801	83,581,204	50,073,551
1968-69	563,125,184	116,500,883	99,351,540	96,678,506	55,983,867
1969-70	603,464,142	131,565,341	106,340,644	99,694,261	61,644,664
1970-71	650,075,356	140,277,468	114,909,998	102,610,263	64,388,981
1971-72	731,801,912	155,557,043	125,234,581	118,693,647	71,305,233
1972-73	843,923,090	176,346,170	149,431,046	140,050,642	82,045,255
1973-74	922,341,645	201,038,422	154,931,553	158,893,721	87,600,498
1974-75	985,962,137	229,740,759	162,568,577	183,164,019	89,301,504
1975-76	1,117,911,779	257,146,797	193,693,716	218,891,882	89,983,075
1976-77	1,227,016,192	268,686,497	205,411,145	245,907,671	95,470,068
1977-78	1,402,177,081	290,883,193	231,323,866	308,796,836	109,479,386
1978-79	1,538,275,359	322,965,296	246,381,937	332,701,813	129,214,105

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 10,179,334.20
1966-67	10,500,235.10
1967-68	11,499,310.00
1968-69	12,903,807.40
1969-70	14,258,462.10
1970-71	15,212,716.70
1971-72	17,057,637.30
1972-73	19,387,702.00
1973-74	20,981,606.90
1974-75	22,397,241.30
1975-76	25,507,704.10
1976-77	27,997,523.20
1977-78	31,387,147.10
1978-79	34,393,011.10

Founded 1779

Franklin

County Seat: Louisburg
Elevation: 280 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Bunn, Centerville, Franklinton, Louisburg, Youngsville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	314.5
WATER	1.7
TOTAL	316.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	183.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	109.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	12.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	28,755		
1970	26,820	- 1.6%	2505
1971	27,448	1.3	186
1972	27,498	- 0.2	113
1973	27,828	1.0	62
1974	27,958	0.1	91
1975	28,186	0.6	67
1976	27,888	- 1.2	47
1977	28,113	0.6	57
1978	28,244	0.3	42

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,356
1971	2,435
1972	2,793
1973	3,203
1974	3,570
1975	3,849
1976	4,410
1977	4,541
1978	5,407

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	10,739
REPUBLICAN	823
OTHER	61
TOTAL	11,623

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	10,730	9,990	740	6.9%
1971	10,730	10,010	720	6.7
1972	11,430	10,650	780	6.8
1973	11,960	11,370	590	4.9
1974	12,060	11,310	750	6.2
1975	12,240	10,890	1,350	11.0
1976	12,870	11,820	1,050	8.2
1977	12,760	11,830	930	7.3
1978	12,340	11,720	620	5.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	4,600	2,100	2,500
1971	4,720	2,170	2,550
1972	4,970	2,340	2,630
1973	5,390	2,530	2,860
1974	5,580	2,610	2,970
1975	5,270	2,270	3,000
1976	5,680	2,560	3,120
1977	5,910	2,720	3,190
1978	5,980	2,730	3,250

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	50	17
1966	NA	50	14
1967	NA	50	26
1968	NA	80	14
1969	NA	80	15
1970	NA	80	17
1971	NA	80	7
1972	4	80	5
1973	NA	75	9
1974	4	75	8
1975	NA	73	8
1976	7	73	4
1977	NA	73	12
1978	7	73	4
1979	NA	71	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,065	$ 1,058	905	68
1965 THRU 1969	5,418	3,270	937	432
1970 THRU 1974	39,040	597	875	60
1975 THRU 1979	15,012	4,304	123	218

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	85,392	$ 16,902,693
1966	84,236	18,859,349
1967	85,233	21,535,996
1968	86,361	17,332,995
1969	86,592	21,376,586
1970	84,863	19,108,000
1971	82,162	18,158,000
1972	79,386	20,918,000
1973	77,068	27,749,000
1974	72,452	32,406,000
1975	74,710	34,083,000
1976	74,713	38,773,000
1977	80,832	32,095,000
1978	NA	43,903,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,073	354	195	NA
1966-67	1,102	326	203	NA
1967-68	1,023	307	195	39
1968-69	949	305	208	44
1969-70	947	318	237	44
1970-71	919	326	253	41
1971-72	881	336	268	38
1972-73	825	314	283	39
1973-74	783	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	841	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,039	840	591	36
1976-77	1,125	823	644	36
1977-78	1,112	787	657	31
1978-79	1,008	763	634	26

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	47	14	82	5
1969	88	17	88	6
1970	72	16	132	11
1971	61	24	154	6
1972	61	17	146	6
1973	51	16	133	NA
1974	72	20	174	10
1975	71	28	179	5
1976	48	14	206	3
1977	42	12	NA	5
1978	36	16	NA	5
1979	42	19	213	6

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	144.20
MUNICIPAL	10.23
TOTAL	154.43
SECONDARY	
RURAL	613.10
MUNICIPAL	6.10
TOTAL	619.20
PAVED	614.00
UNPAVED	159.63
TOTAL	773.63

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	9,311	347	214	6
1966	9,653	400	261	10
1967	10,121	362	201	7
1968	10,463	397	199	10
1969	10,677	471	285	13
1970	11,028	493	314	11
1971	11,619	535	304	17
1972	12,417	504	346	21
1973	13,439	483	305	27
1974	13,802	457	295	14
1975	14,270	419	252	10
1976	15,073	508	282	7
1977	16,029	563	363	12
1978	16,771	575	347	14
1979	17,392	524	291	18

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	7,484	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	7,352	NA	164	141
1967-68	7,546	97	173	163
1968-69	6,870	159	172	206
1969-70	6,560	198	195	177
1970-71	6,554	405	231	178
1971-72	6,510	426	233	195
1972-73	6,545	434	268	193
1973-74	6,530	383	288	175
1974-75	6,572	409	284	205
1975-76	6,557	468	300	174
1976-77	6,532	436	267	183
1977-78	6,448	597	284	163
1978-79	6,398	589	294	192
1979-80	6,239	601	280	223

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 28,140,695	$ 6,764,481	$ 4,278,157	$ 5,957,348	$ 3,839,610
1966-67	29,582,082	7,524,169	4,436,278	5,666,549	3,975,350
1967-68	33,762,266	8,000,476	4,953,785	5,873,946	6,105,611
1968-69	34,895,210	8,750,795	5,381,662	6,613,194	4,412,707
1969-70	37,597,936	9,613,733	5,430,198	7,905,537	3,399,746
1970-71	38,023,174	10,471,159	5,689,846	7,631,197	3,192,819
1971-72	43,333,919	11,485,195	5,900,342	8,017,006	4,262,688
1972-73	46,543,242	12,762,457	6,645,339	8,493,582	4,835,554
1973-74	53,481,834	15,438,749	7,985,664	8,956,818	5,958,564
1974-75	55,356,749	17,237,843	8,740,889	9,108,941	4,688,580
1975-76	68,251,712	19,906,261	13,673,600	10,654,568	5,853,791
1976-77	74,704,384	21,371,960	13,689,410	11,733,063	6,565,543
1977-78	80,949,849	22,121,965	15,829,466	12,169,807	9,013,754
1978-79	92,442,005	24,492,833	17,815,538	13,990,974	9,001,949

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 540,424.00
1966-67	577,519.80
1967-68	672,840.30
1968-69	658,706.20
1969-70	718,833.90
1970-71	742,775.50
1971-72	853,748.00
1972-73	902,686.80
1973-74	1,012,028.50
1974-75	1,044,080.10
1975-76	1,226,960.60
1976-77	1,395,151.20
1977-78	1,485,591.90
1978-79	1,608,846.10

Founded 1846

Gaston

County Seat: Gastonia
Elevation: 825 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Belmont, Bessemer City, Cherryville, Cramerton, Dallas, Dellview, Gastonia, High Shoals (Part), Kings Mountain (Part), Lowell, McAdenville, Mount Holly, Ranlo, Spencer Mountain, Stanley

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	227.2
WATER	6.1
TOTAL	233.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	111.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	56.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	48.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	127,074		
1970	148,415	0.2%	18467
1971	149,834	- 0.5	2297
1972	153,290	1.2	1685
1973	154,767	0.0	1499
1974	155,521	- 0.4	1365
1975	155,768	- 0.6	1147
1976	154,385	- 1.5	930
1977	154,921	- 0.3	951
1978	156,034	0.1	962

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,153
1971	3,426
1972	3,798
1973	4,153
1974	4,422
1975	4,586
1976	5,295
1977	5,869
1978	6,548

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	40,362
REPUBLICAN	13,568
OTHER	2,306
TOTAL	56,236

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	69,370	67,010	2,360	3.4%
1971	70,570	68,090	2,480	3.5
1972	73,430	71,700	1,730	2.4
1973	75,350	73,680	1,670	2.2
1974	80,040	76,890	3,150	3.9
1975	83,070	74,110	8,960	10.8
1976	79,820	74,900	4,920	6.2
1977	82,590	78,550	4,040	4.9
1978	86,030	82,900	3,130	3.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	59,480	37,960	21,520
1971	60,010	37,830	22,180
1972	62,960	40,150	22,810
1973	63,180	41,180	22,000
1974	61,790	38,880	22,910
1975	58,060	33,790	24,270
1976	61,330	35,370	25,960
1977	63,760	36,980	26,780
1978	66,300	37,460	28,840

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	262	75
1966	NA	292	70
1967	NA	273	64
1968	NA	263	71
1969	NA	263	72
1970	NA	263	76
1971	NA	263	61
1972	46	263	71
1973	NA	263	56
1974	51	504	55
1975	NA	488	34
1976	49	448	41
1977	NA	448	38
1978	55	448	40
1979	NA	448	35

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 10,471	$ 21,329	2,472	2,028
1965 THRU 1969	26,828	46,187	1,641	2,166
1970 THRU 1974	6,170	36,491	480	1,724
1975 THRU 1979	90,188	131,174	2,078	2,012

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	NA	$ 4,009,276
1966	41,663	4,478,543
1967	43,080	4,143,228
1968	NA	4,078,951
1969	NA	4,928,219
1970	38,390	4,217,000
1971	34,628	3,727,000
1972	32,732	4,193,000
1973	46,624	5,713,000
1974	NA	5,705,000
1975	38,904	6,236,000
1976	37,330	6,529,000
1977	39,375	6,334,000
1978	NA	6,786,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	2,969	779	609	NA
1966-67	2,446	734	577	NA
1967-68	2,479	712	571	79
1968-69	2,505	674	555	79
1969-70	2,866	668	576	78
1970-71	3,588	614	600	79
1971-72	3,901	622	654	81
1972-73	3,511	574	642	73
1973-74	3,560	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	4,194	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	5,192	1,427	1,240	67
1976-77	5,394	1,302	1,282	65
1977-78	4,868	1,243	1,335	68
1978-79	4,544	1,173	1,417	65

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	205	20	474	62
1969	272	21	531	54
1970	415	46	577	101
1971	387	46	575	59
1972	237	46	591	42
1973	181	44	651	NA
1974	207	46	719	41
1975	283	66	838	23
1976	244	64	852	24
1977	241	87	NA	22
1978	175	92	NA	17
1979	211	72	834	29

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	102.79
MUNICIPAL	51.01
TOTAL	153.80
SECONDARY	
RURAL	698.25
MUNICIPAL	66.56
TOTAL	764.81
PAVED	761.45
UNPAVED	157.16
TOTAL	918.61

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	60,052	2,198	1,437	41
1966	66,143	2,895	1,762	34
1967	69,003	2,715	1,480	40
1968	72,312	3,103	1,571	35
1969	74,923	3,352	1,620	34
1970	78,286	3,512	1,620	36
1971	83,059	3,509	1,787	32
1972	89,816	3,534	1,846	34
1973	95,929	3,598	2,102	40
1974	96,971	3,324	1,801	36
1975	98,755	3,357	1,793	25
1976	104,506	3,679	1,993	26
1977	109,255	4,061	2,169	37
1978	116,071	4,714	2,482	31
1979	118,742	4,644	2,499	38

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	34,005	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	34,111	NA	808	491
1967-68	34,360	2,162	846	543
1968-69	34,083	2,702	848	573
1969-70	34,146	3,342	907	544
1970-71	34,014	3,527	1,026	481
1971-72	34,288	5,202	1,144	505
1972-73	34,215	4,465	1,168	484
1973-74	34,612	3,769	1,166	509
1974-75	34,816	5,280	1,248	617
1975-76	35,480	6,087	1,301	655
1976-77	36,762	4,684	1,398	678
1977-78	36,272	4,700	1,452	676
1978-79	36,044	5,332	1,438	674
1979-80	35,682	3,863	1,438	885

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 228,261,450	$ 52,073,944	$ 55,205,614	$ 34,072,912	$ 19,024,703
1966-67	244,010,143	56,349,785	62,549,457	36,078,233	20,587,613
1967-68	256,913,615	60,551,198	61,993,605	38,374,797	20,780,435
1968-69	282,933,218	64,993,836	69,771,189	41,778,584	24,294,928
1969-70	306,106,443	71,885,369	79,206,902	45,238,698	24,480,968
1970-71	327,207,457	78,873,618	85,475,770	47,958,969	25,815,178
1971-72	385,173,037	85,228,095	99,535,114	52,777,843	33,198,872
1972-73	436,353,951	94,683,746	109,144,805	60,692,758	39,253,105
1973-74	470,683,144	110,322,299	120,845,950	60,708,563	43,695,445
1974-75	467,432,490	126,969,376	106,756,777	60,306,611	38,758,397
1975-76	503,746,971	130,299,533	127,533,825	66,319,630	34,297,435
1976-77	567,398,018	149,686,835	136,615,832	71,004,136	39,169,766
1977-78	655,258,050	167,077,451	159,352,837	83,237,340	50,181,525
1978-79	723,065,033	190,448,121	172,582,360	93,266,387	58,518,166

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 4,811,560.00
1966-67	5,099,650.20
1967-68	5,433,206.00
1968-69	5,870,363.90
1969-70	6,520,789.50
1970-71	6,903,782.50
1971-72	7,962,137.30
1972-73	8,869,591.20
1973-74	9,603,660.60
1974-75	9,467,108.80
1975-76	10,344,372.60
1976-77	11,594,484.00
1977-78	13,372,778.80
1978-79	14,727,875.00

Founded 1779

Gates

County Seat: Gatesville
Elevation: 40 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	219.3
WATER	4.8
TOTAL	224.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	165.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	46.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	9,254		
1970	8,524	- 1.6%	692
1971	8,395	- 1.6	40
1972	8,377	- 0.6	28
1973	8,342	- 0.4	- 5
1974	8,289	- 0.8	10
1975	8,550	2.8	28
1976	8,322	- 2.8	10
1977	8,290	- 0.5	10
1978	8,287	- 0.1	4

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,510
1971	2,534
1972	3,208
1973	3,978
1974	4,264
1975	4,474
1976	5,357
1977	5,702
1978	6,667

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	4,785
REPUBLICAN	77
OTHER	22
TOTAL	4,884

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	2,940	2,780	160	5.4%
1971	2,790	2,670	120	4.3
1972	2,920	2,800	120	4.1
1973	2,770	2,670	100	3.6
1974	2,830	2,740	90	3.2
1975	2,890	2,770	120	4.2
1976	2,870	2,760	110	3.8
1977	2,930	2,800	130	4.4
1978	3,000	2,890	110	3.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	920	240	680
1971	910	220	690
1972	940	220	720
1973	890	220	670
1974	950	210	740
1975	960	180	780
1976	950	150	800
1977	1,000	150	850
1978	1,100	140	960

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	5
1966	NA	0	4
1967	NA	0	7
1968	NA	0	2
1969	NA	0	6
1970	NA	0	4
1971	NA	0	3
1972	2	0	7
1973	NA	0	0
1974	1	0	4
1975	NA	0	1
1976	0	0	0
1977	NA	0	1
1978	1	0	0
1979	NA	0	5

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 100	$ 0	30	0
1965 THRU 1969	85	0	17	0
1970 THRU 1974	0	10	0	0
1975 THRU 1979	0	70	0	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	39,685	$ 7,788,552
1966	40,210	6,593,053
1967	41,048	6,596,294
1968	40,254	6,902,786
1969	40,904	8,118,270
1970	40,518	8,178,000
1971	41,216	7,701,000
1972	40,111	9,355,000
1973	40,702	13,168,000
1974	40,673	14,233,000
1975	40,593	14,658,000
1976	41,125	17,135,000
1977	42,013	16,139,000
1978	NA	19,127,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	111	125	39	NA
1966-67	92	120	39	NA
1967-68	99	107	39	6
1968-69	91	95	37	7
1969-70	115	87	42	10
1970-71	171	78	53	9
1971-72	214	75	63	9
1972-73	249	81	67	8
1973-74	210	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	209	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	246	262	180	5
1976-77	260	242	173	5
1977-78	258	212	176	6
1978-79	279	211	172	6

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	13	5	36	0
1969	9	1	34	0
1970	5	7	26	0
1971	9	5	11	0
1972	12	5	7	0
1973	10	7	7	NA
1974	13	8	21	0
1975	19	5	31	0
1976	6	5	31	0
1977	11	2	NA	0
1978	20	7	NA	0
1979	10	4	31	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	81.23
MUNICIPAL	2.89
TOTAL	84.12
SECONDARY	
RURAL	277.07
MUNICIPAL	0.38
TOTAL	277.45
PAVED	247.31
UNPAVED	114.26
TOTAL	361.57

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	3,610	115	59	4
1966	3,731	115	57	9
1967	3,839	150	81	5
1968	4,022	170	97	9
1969	4,129	150	61	3
1970	4,242	173	95	6
1971	4,465	187	75	5
1972	4,763	166	104	1
1973	5,027	184	151	11
1974	5,174	167	130	5
1975	5,512	159	90	6
1976	5,887	186	95	3
1977	6,107	174	92	6
1978	6,368	183	112	5
1979	6,481	181	146	3

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	2,493	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	2,465	NA	84	39
1967-68	2,444	117	81	31
1968-69	2,452	167	79	36
1969-70	2,396	128	81	33
1970-71	2,320	184	96	45
1971-72	2,295	231	117	45
1972-73	2,216	229	121	41
1973-74	2,298	227	121	39
1974-75	2,223	206	110	48
1975-76	2,164	241	98	35
1976-77	2,079	196	112	34
1977-78	1,989	277	127	27
1978-79	1,941	300	127	29
1979-80	1,898	368	132	35

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 6,467,234	$ 1,123,043	$ 1,305,192	$ 1,799,724	$ 50,936
1966-67	6,602,131	1,118,850	1,438,538	1,847,062	65,523
1967-68	6,991,066	1,129,553	1,321,867	2,372,918	82,659
1968-69	8,037,056	1,269,112	1,733,086	2,564,349	49,495
1969-70	8,623,957	1,333,547	1,818,866	2,698,093	62,733
1970-71	9,497,028	1,525,229	2,023,703	2,759,896	73,071
1971-72	10,018,556	1,754,494	1,880,226	2,800,537	99,817
1972-73	11,057,549	2,018,912	2,176,745	2,944,439	122,787
1973-74	12,458,330	2,604,298	2,346,562	2,544,185	144,526
1974-75	13,053,079	2,971,298	2,425,800	2,342,891	372,332
1975-76	14,228,469	3,529,042	2,483,399	2,642,873	453,845
1976-77	15,748,949	3,835,765	3,185,643	2,817,620	339,952
1977-78	15,988,631	3,998,589	2,870,151	3,078,460	295,721
1978-79	16,917,585	4,444,686	3,165,869	3,234,607	426,529

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 99,681.80
1966-67	106,585.20
1967-68	114,180.30
1968-69	127,381.70
1969-70	145,588.30
1970-71	155,748.70
1971-72	166,261.30
1972-73	181,707.00
1973-74	209,512.50
1974-75	219,018.00
1975-76	243,394.80
1976-77	253,566.00
1977-78	255,542.40
1978-79	270,017.80

Founded 1872

Graham

County Seat: Robbinsville
Elevation: 2,150 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	184.5
WATER	8.7
TOTAL	193.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	62.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	6.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.1

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	6,432		
1970	6,562	- 1.1%	822
1971	6,520	- 1.3	67
1972	6,286	- 4.3	46
1973	6,401	1.2	37
1974	6,524	1.4	35
1975	6,675	1.6	45
1976	6,676	- 0.7	45
1977	6,869	2.2	47
1978	6,944	0.4	45

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,075
1971	2,054
1972	2,271
1973	2,685
1974	3,279
1975	3,423
1976	3,843
1977	4,116
1978	4,684

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	2,551
REPUBLICAN	2,066
OTHER	213
TOTAL	4,830

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	2,570	2,150	420	16.3%
1971	2,270	1,740	530	23.3
1972	1,920	1,450	470	24.5
1973	2,170	1,940	230	10.6
1974	2,840	2,660	180	6.3
1975	2,860	2,530	330	11.5
1976	3,090	2,730	360	11.7
1977	3,220	2,900	320	9.9
1978	3,280	3,030	250	7.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	1,210	490	720
1971	970	250	720
1972	790	170	620
1973	1,100	460	640
1974	1,480	780	700
1975	1,460	680	780
1976	1,580	740	840
1977	1,710	780	930
1978	1,790	820	970

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	4
1966	NA	0	3
1967	NA	0	3
1968	NA	0	5
1969	NA	0	0
1970	NA	0	4
1971	NA	0	1
1972	3	0	3
1973	NA	0	2
1974	3	0	0
1975	NA	0	1
1976	3	0	0
1977	NA	0	0
1978	5	0	3
1979	NA	0	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 0	0	0
1965 THRU 1969	65	1,085	100	15
1970 THRU 1974	10,480	0	331	0
1975 THRU 1979	200	6,987	2	455

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	4,014	$ 703,384
1966	4,541	679,403
1967	4,222	592,755
1968	4,093	672,105
1969	3,697	740,485
1970	4,063	731,000
1971	3,555	685,000
1972	3,253	769,000
1973	2,650	831,000
1974	1,896	1,055,000
1975	1,587	1,093,000
1976	2,437	964,000
1977	2,792	1,105,000
1978	NA	1,209,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	129	119	31	NA
1966-67	107	115	37	NA
1967-68	103	107	33	6
1968-69	75	106	31	5
1969-70	67	98	32	4
1970-71	62	85	34	3
1971-72	62	74	33	2
1972-73	76	68	33	3
1973-74	65	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	56	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	55	232	110	2
1976-77	62	217	111	2
1977-78	73	216	112	2
1978-79	66	205	114	1

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	3	2	31	3
1969	3	1	28	3
1970	4	1	23	0
1971	11	1	33	0
1972	5	2	30	0
1973	3	1	21	NA
1974	8	3	21	1
1975	15	5	29	2
1976	7	1	42	1
1977	1	1	NA	0
1978	4	0	NA	1
1979	3	0	39	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	47.80
MUNICIPAL	0.87
TOTAL	48.67
SECONDARY	
RURAL	192.77
MUNICIPAL	3.48
TOTAL	196.25
PAVED	164.65
UNPAVED	80.27
TOTAL	244.92

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	2,430	61	36	0
1966	2,595	64	19	1
1967	2,730	74	32	1
1968	3,013	80	26	0
1969	3,049	87	47	0
1970	3,135	77	33	0
1971	3,281	81	30	0
1972	3,329	80	67	2
1973	3,650	71	32	1
1974	3,895	79	44	2
1975	4,109	97	59	0
1976	4,486	96	51	4
1977	4,723	100	41	0
1978	4,969	117	34	2
1979	5,212	124	52	2

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	1,656	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,647	NA	38	3
1967-68	1,632	154	45	6
1968-69	1,589	145	54	11
1969-70	1,621	397	61	6
1970-71	1,577	270	55	7
1971-72	1,545	259	61	3
1972-73	1,581	355	58	3
1973-74	1,658	487	57	9
1974-75	1,679	231	53	6
1975-76	1,712	291	65	5
1976-77	1,740	90	54	15
1977-78	1,725	217	68	16
1978-79	1,689	339	71	21
1979-80	1,685	311	57	24

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 5,267,819	$ 1,367,674	$ 1,561,866	$ 793,615	$ 96,647
1966-67	6,112,379	1,724,283	1,229,964	949,998	94,775
1967-68	6,055,115	1,775,186	1,160,374	932,004	81,736
1968-69	6,844,856	2,064,364	1,256,975	1,074,257	1,826
1969-70	7,693,214	2,321,919	1,287,289	1,285,762	0
1970-71	7,946,161	2,339,975	1,507,649	1,232,029	1,006
1971-72	8,049,736	2,234,573	1,606,445	1,354,788	0
1972-73	9,134,857	2,527,469	1,669,382	1,548,019	57,461
1973-74	10,566,684	3,006,819	1,983,282	1,968,528	64,913
1974-75	11,701,734	3,195,143	2,564,865	2,127,805	79,234
1975-76	14,277,887	3,630,279	3,370,868	2,495,614	68,384
1976-77	15,572,726	4,024,669	4,119,115	2,326,659	190,325
1977-78	16,847,809	4,396,193	4,146,352	2,406,598	178,729
1978-79	19,368,740	4,587,466	5,012,262	2,873,103	179,019

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 135,586.60
1966-67	158,950.30
1967-68	155,153.70
1968-69	179,633.10
1969-70	201,477.40
1970-71	212,020.50
1971-72	207,522.70
1972-73	239,604.30
1973-74	268,236.50
1974-75	292,073.00
1975-76	362,888.80
1976-77	385,804.20
1977-78	423,585.40
1978-79	490,469.50

Founded 1746

Granville

County Seat: Oxford
Elevation: 476 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Creedmoor, Oxford, Stem, Stovall, Virgilina (Part)

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	344.2
WATER	4.3
TOTAL	348.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	226.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	89.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	12.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	33,110		
1970	32,762	- 1.1%	3365
1971	33,108	0.1	296
1972	32,824	- 1.4	178
1973	33,070	0.4	130
1974	33,120	- 0.2	113
1975	32,921	- 1.0	134
1976	32,638	- 1.2	128
1977	32,697	- 0.2	120
1978	32,712	- 0.3	119

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,414
1971	2,705
1972	2,990
1973	3,439
1974	3,807
1975	3,991
1976	4,839
1977	5,066
1978	5,841

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	13,298
REPUBLICAN	738
OTHER	172
TOTAL	14,208

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	13,050	12,560	490	3.8%
1971	13,630	12,940	690	5.1
1972	14,640	13,640	1,000	6.8
1973	15,080	14,290	790	5.2
1974	14,970	14,090	880	5.9
1975	15,300	14,100	1,200	7.8
1976	15,670	14,310	1,360	8.7
1977	15,630	14,310	1,320	8.4
1978	15,840	14,960	880	5.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	8,240	2,830	5,410
1971	8,620	3,290	5,330
1972	8,930	3,660	5,270
1973	9,460	3,940	5,520
1974	9,730	3,910	5,820
1975	9,690	3,490	6,200
1976	9,870	3,380	6,490
1977	10,170	3,500	6,670
1978	10,940	3,500	7,440

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	100	24
1966	NA	101	15
1967	NA	71	13
1968	NA	71	22
1969	NA	71	16
1970	NA	67	11
1971	NA	82	23
1972	9	82	13
1973	NA	82	16
1974	11	82	11
1975	NA	82	8
1976	12	82	11
1977	NA	82	8
1978	17	82	3
1979	NA	68	6

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,165	$ 3,726	586	940
1965 THRU 1969	12,616	8,925	925	210
1970 THRU 1974	10,570	8,180	700	380
1975 THRU 1979	42,900	21,971	536	436

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	69,388	$ 17,607,509
1966	69,524	18,457,815
1967	69,438	19,584,565
1968	69,658	15,559,682
1969	71,043	21,210,082
1970	68,760	18,778,000
1971	63,027	19,466,000
1972	60,306	19,360,000
1973	60,752	25,411,000
1974	60,656	28,070,000
1975	58,431	25,267,000
1976	61,980	36,307,000
1977	56,867	29,362,000
1978	NA	38,748,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	261	220	109	NA
1966-67	291	200	113	NA
1967-68	294	192	110	18
1968-69	354	189	111	19
1969-70	393	195	122	19
1970-71	397	189	125	18
1971-72	440	193	144	23
1972-73	389	160	141	25
1973-74	413	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	496	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	605	627	533	60
1976-77	694	616	587	53
1977-78	762	592	645	48
1978-79	810	599	657	44

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	103	14	73	2
1969	87	15	133	3
1970	73	23	128	6
1971	77	25	133	17
1972	67	19	131	8
1973	59	18	139	NA
1974	92	25	161	12
1975	65	32	165	6
1976	61	23	155	5
1977	60	20	NA	5
1978	73	23	NA	4
1979	48	17	171	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	123.37
MUNICIPAL	11.56
TOTAL	134.93
SECONDARY	
RURAL	688.58
MUNICIPAL	13.47
TOTAL	702.05
PAVED	525.24
UNPAVED	311.74
TOTAL	836.98

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	11,251	542	348	15
1966	11,856	526	266	16
1967	12,215	561	282	22
1968	12,950	582	282	25
1969	13,153	677	372	7
1970	13,663	655	306	24
1971	14,425	671	330	21
1972	15,507	520	315	24
1973	16,492	643	445	16
1974	17,009	582	314	11
1975	17,734	646	316	15
1976	18,695	670	387	6
1977	19,550	630	287	8
1978	20,198	644	288	12
1979	20,986	628	338	11

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	8,610	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	8,561	NA	221	115
1967-68	8,450	478	227	126
1968-69	8,431	433	235	140
1969-70	8,263	449	251	130
1970-71	8,019	882	301	149
1971-72	7,813	747	295	157
1972-73	7,792	893	311	150
1973-74	8,060	1,095	272	118
1974-75	7,973	888	303	146
1975-76	7,895	1,040	329	130
1976-77	7,877	967	346	135
1977-78	7,549	1,198	406	171
1978-79	7,394	1,208	418	168
1979-80	7,347	1,188	412	155

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 30,165,061	$ 7,373,932	$ 5,992,206	$ 7,874,478	$ 1,413,166
1966-67	32,285,768	8,238,522	6,863,169	8,426,401	1,407,682
1967-68	35,580,838	9,153,532	7,244,987	9,386,109	1,288,943
1968-69	38,557,214	11,006,505	7,512,668	9,800,278	1,550,351
1969-70	41,925,305	11,790,902	7,325,269	10,997,686	1,831,460
1970-71	43,133,513	12,583,195	8,029,728	10,946,795	1,969,517
1971-72	49,015,392	13,939,323	8,325,604	11,510,228	2,804,064
1972-73	52,596,648	14,801,859	8,654,557	11,811,282	1,756,173
1973-74	58,010,428	15,759,911	10,566,089	13,039,495	1,872,026
1974-75	65,660,883	17,196,497	12,098,229	14,007,172	4,797,849
1975-76	72,488,434	19,424,017	13,268,471	14,994,727	4,273,990
1976-77	77,422,495	20,626,407	14,884,335	16,046,105	5,698,697
1977-78	79,916,768	22,938,620	15,235,712	16,258,486	5,654,877
1978-79	88,516,197	27,070,879	16,573,825	18,544,442	4,813,972

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 583,498.00
1966-67	629,082.10
1967-68	691,763.80
1968-69	759,961.10
1969-70	850,123.70
1970-71	859,093.10
1971-72	1,019,543.50
1972-73	1,075,301.40
1973-74	1,149,278.90
1974-75	1,253,864.30
1975-76	1,375,081.30
1976-77	1,502,754.80
1977-78	1,566,713.30
1978-79	1,728,304.30

Founded 1799

Greene

County Seat: Snow Hill
Elevation: 74 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Hookerton, Jason, Maury, Snow Hill, Walstonburg

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	171.4
WATER	0.8
TOTAL	172.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	79.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	83.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.8

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	16,741		
1970	14,967	- 2.3%	1959
1971	15,310	1.3	108
1972	14,946	- 2.9	74
1973	14,853	- 1.2	86
1974	14,953	0.0	95
1975	14,820	- 1.4	83
1976	14,880	- 0.1	77
1977	14,865	- 0.8	98
1978	15,457	3.3	99

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,963
1971	2,812
1972	3,372
1973	4,250
1974	4,745
1975	5,069
1976	5,580
1977	5,004
1978	7,116

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	6,255
REPUBLICAN	398
OTHER	47
TOTAL	6,700

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	6,520	6,140	380	5.8%
1971	6,820	6,380	440	6.5
1972	7,660	7,030	630	8.2
1973	8,250	7,670	580	7.0
1974	7,820	7,190	630	8.1
1975	7,320	6,740	580	7.9
1976	7,310	6,710	600	8.2
1977	7,030	6,420	610	8.7
1978	7,010	6,570	440	6.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	1,640	430	1,210
1971	1,810	540	1,270
1972	1,970	760	1,210
1973	2,200	940	1,260
1974	2,120	890	1,230
1975	1,970	650	1,320
1976	1,920	560	1,360
1977	1,960	580	1,380
1978	2,140	620	1,520

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	14
1966	NA	0	16
1967	NA	0	16
1968	NA	0	6
1969	NA	0	14
1970	NA	0	12
1971	NA	0	10
1972	1	0	3
1973	NA	0	12
1974	1	0	3
1975	NA	0	6
1976	1	0	5
1977	NA	0	5
1978	1	0	5
1979	NA	0	5

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 674	$ 0	394	0
1965 THRU 1969	204	0	85	0
1970 THRU 1974	710	1,806	135	225
1975 THRU 1979	1,805	609	200	110

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	75,577	$ 20,506,988
1966	75,314	24,314,075
1967	77,477	22,691,131
1968	77,534	21,297,767
1969	76,975	24,462,166
1970	77,740	27,046,000
1971	76,722	24,308,000
1972	76,735	28,502,000
1973	78,283	39,724,000
1974	78,080	47,160,000
1975	77,615	47,857,000
1976	78,204	50,230,000
1977	77,580	37,639,000
1978	NA	62,808,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	148	114	69	NA
1966-67	170	105	59	NA
1967-68	187	104	57	11
1968-69	219	95	56	13
1969-70	250	89	56	11
1970-71	297	80	49	9
1971-72	298	74	49	8
1972-73	309	63	54	9
1973-74	267	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	316	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	442	283	177	6
1976-77	800	262	186	8
1977-78	1,068	270	206	10
1978-79	991	270	231	6

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	20	6	54	2
1969	24	9	65	4
1970	31	9	57	1
1971	37	7	63	4
1972	27	5	66	4
1973	18	5	82	NA
1974	21	7	78	1
1975	21	7	88	1
1976	14	9	100	5
1977	29	5	NA	1
1978	15	8	NA	2
1979	29	6	93	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	86.88
MUNICIPAL	5.03
TOTAL	91.91
SECONDARY	
RURAL	361.60
MUNICIPAL	5.31
TOTAL	366.91
PAVED	378.52
UNPAVED	80.30
TOTAL	458.82

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	5,050	180	99	5
1966	5,255	214	81	8
1967	5,517	203	72	6
1968	5,791	209	93	7
1969	5,903	213	109	7
1970	6,004	244	111	5
1971	6,428	267	146	9
1972	6,823	227	124	8
1973	7,171	256	132	6
1974	7,440	230	123	8
1975	7,814	252	111	4
1976	8,429	240	109	3
1977	8,746	236	111	6
1978	9,075	320	112	7
1979	9,297	238	124	17

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	5,063	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	4,915	NA	115	56
1967-68	4,873	343	121	62
1968-69	4,715	341	108	68
1969-70	4,488	521	138	52
1970-71	4,400	792	144	56
1971-72	4,254	627	140	65
1972-73	4,121	592	145	57
1973-74	4,250	696	114	52
1974-75	4,111	358	145	40
1975-76	3,965	928	182	43
1976-77	3,852	603	177	44
1977-78	3,764	1,095	183	51
1978-79	3,608	890	166	38
1979-80	3,427	858	164	49

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 11,363,510	$ 2,882,334	$ 1,458,170	$ 2,308,303	$ 670,216
1966-67	11,606,000	3,114,256	1,711,994	2,437,382	279,121
1967-68	11,838,152	3,277,970	1,690,081	2,607,004	253,698
1968-69	12,143,177	3,381,543	1,680,721	2,679,108	354,415
1969-70	13,540,981	3,556,617	1,835,778	2,748,607	363,004
1970-71	13,380,856	3,650,856	2,055,973	2,890,011	338,773
1971-72	14,150,427	4,123,593	1,864,440	2,980,154	291,496
1972-73	15,426,729	4,211,543	1,856,983	3,783,180	339,873
1973-74	19,455,964	4,291,444	2,271,443	4,618,660	336,439
1974-75	21,815,018	4,910,557	2,722,455	5,206,960	250,591
1975-76	24,233,204	6,026,631	3,057,933	5,368,446	333,423
1976-77	25,444,316	6,745,245	3,231,173	5,293,338	327,620
1977-78	24,071,637	7,055,945	3,346,078	4,743,255	298,235
1978-79	28,213,693	7,843,987	4,358,835	5,615,130	332,007

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 192,603.60
1966-67	199,584.50
1967-68	204,043.80
1968-69	210,597.90
1969-70	224,196.50
1970-71	235,980.50
1971-72	252,521.20
1972-73	278,051.20
1973-74	308,222.10
1974-75	345,830.40
1975-76	395,568.20
1976-77	413,207.60
1977-78	413,983.30
1978-79	475,211.90

Founded 1771

Guilford

County Seat: Greensboro
Elevation: 838 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Archdale (Part), Gibsonville (Part), Greensboro, High Point (Part), Jamestown

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	412.2
WATER	5.1
TOTAL	417.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	192.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	131.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	70.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	246,520		
1970	288,645	0.3%	33782
1971	292,159	- 0.1	3722
1972	297,460	1.0	2512
1973	297,411	- 0.6	1828
1974	297,626	- 0.5	1578
1975	298,761	- 0.1	1530
1976	300,538	0.1	1502
1977	304,487	0.8	1600
1978	306,509	0.1	1673

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$4,137
1971	4,476
1972	4,912
1973	5,411
1974	5,942
1975	6,285
1976	6,848
1977	7,373
1978	8,344

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	99,517
REPUBLICAN	37,381
OTHER	8,668
TOTAL	145,566

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	131,180	127,360	3,820	2.9%
1971	134,790	129,870	4,920	3.7
1972	139,270	135,450	3,820	2.7
1973	142,340	138,200	4,140	2.9
1974	148,490	143,250	5,240	3.5
1975	149,070	138,800	10,270	6.9
1976	153,270	144,920	8,350	5.5
1977	158,830	150,270	8,560	5.4
1978	161,180	154,650	6,530	4.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	142,930	58,580	84,350
1971	147,970	59,730	88,240
1972	154,940	61,490	93,450
1973	159,340	62,950	96,390
1974	162,170	61,080	101,090
1975	153,330	52,720	100,610
1976	156,640	54,460	102,180
1977	164,460	55,980	108,480
1978	169,960	56,500	113,460

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	1,061	162
1966	NA	1,028	141
1967	NA	1,084	112
1968	NA	1,112	144
1969	NA	1,110	119
1970	NA	1,108	127
1971	NA	1,223	111
1972	149	1,245	92
1973	NA	1,224	102
1974	152	1,159	83
1975	NA	1,159	67
1976	158	1,150	68
1977	NA	1,279	68
1978	207	1,463	60
1979	NA	1,337	45

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 59,761	$109,530	9,609	7,391
1965 THRU 1969	120,102	188,334	7,460	4,607
1970 THRU 1974	99,008	265,470	1,720	3,246
1975 THRU 1979	71,911	266,135	1,489	1,254

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	98,099	$ 17,439,760
1966	97,320	18,116,943
1967	96,839	19,112,168
1968	NA	17,667,313
1969	NA	20,225,780
1970	83,625	16,818,000
1971	74,585	17,822,000
1972	74,716	17,839,000
1973	85,591	24,031,000
1974	92,457	24,772,000
1975	82,196	24,046,000
1976	73,630	27,950,000
1977	73,770	28,222,000
1978	NA	32,088,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	5,087	1,560	1,035	NA
1966-67	4,896	1,564	1,067	NA
1967-68	4,882	1,573	1,123	228
1968-69	4,984	1,542	1,193	229
1969-70	6,191	1,490	1,333	251
1970-71	8,622	1,407	1,590	284
1971-72	10,049	1,397	1,759	325
1972-73	9,119	1,233	1,693	317
1973-74	8,420	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	10,071	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	12,550	2,522	2,754	288
1976-77	12,481	2,305	2,831	269
1977-78	12,166	2,180	2,884	261
1978-79	11,394	2,046	2,782	231

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	508	108	893	165
1969	522	104	1,071	132
1970	587	127	1,056	141
1971	558	172	1,192	134
1972	557	219	1,265	85
1973	550	183	1,252	NA
1974	525	248	1,823	76
1975	469	263	2,075	77
1976	515	248	2,221	47
1977	611	224	NA	73
1978	514	290	NA	62
1979	586	294	2,016	65

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	204.57
MUNICIPAL	83.03
TOTAL	287.60
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,246.93
MUNICIPAL	121.74
TOTAL	1,368.67
PAVED	1,248.72
UNPAVED	407.55
TOTAL	1,656.27

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	138,778	5,606	3,162	54
1966	148,099	6,388	3,274	54
1967	154,351	6,748	3,348	61
1968	165,081	7,345	3,588	76
1969	172,500	8,499	4,148	81
1970	180,690	8,773	3,948	83
1971	191,112	9,759	4,243	74
1972	203,771	9,161	4,644	88
1973	216,468	8,563	4,944	64
1974	220,230	8,707	4,919	42
1975	226,048	8,745	5,069	57
1976	234,225	9,693	5,733	66
1977	247,029	10,171	5,681	58
1978	258,729	10,818	6,276	50
1979	267,118	11,053	6,554	65

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

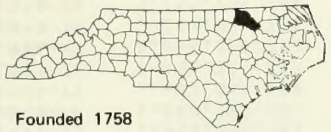
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	64,539	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	65,445	NA	2,879	2,187
1967-68	66,653	1,471	3,138	2,037
1968-69	67,861	2,872	3,324	2,003
1969-70	68,071	3,672	3,669	2,183
1970-71	67,851	6,147	4,202	2,208
1971-72	66,623	7,733	4,843	2,115
1972-73	65,036	8,327	5,228	2,015
1973-74	65,254	7,157	5,459	1,837
1974-75	65,265	9,288	5,991	1,907
1975-76	65,708	6,766	6,515	1,998
1976-77	66,794	10,791	6,745	1,970
1977-78	65,572	10,677	6,844	1,936
1978-79	63,992	13,068	6,873	2,029
1979-80	62,296	10,088	6,814	2,135

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 712,519,354	$ 138,348,472	$ 120,266,796	$ 99,211,560	$ 100,776,023
1966-67	762,679,464	151,093,895	133,132,853	105,251,427	101,706,609
1967-68	823,155,312	160,445,899	144,195,551	114,334,615	98,781,062
1968-69	927,370,932	177,087,840	163,901,761	120,497,805	119,172,422
1969-70	990,056,287	191,049,715	179,699,626	121,957,063	129,414,339
1970-71	1,053,567,904	204,345,970	195,318,772	128,083,125	126,484,246
1971-72	1,210,084,797	224,155,204	221,178,870	144,020,327	149,685,548
1972-73	1,343,255,941	250,356,580	226,209,561	158,144,408	173,813,890
1973-74	1,489,780,029	286,446,496	248,757,406	177,505,555	208,317,899
1974-75	1,493,643,108	315,091,999	251,860,082	183,214,492	183,222,915
1975-76	1,698,726,217	362,851,119	286,741,428	207,963,297	191,581,576
1976-77	1,844,228,352	371,813,904	312,144,871	226,818,295	203,633,974
1977-78	2,167,958,785	405,284,984	357,577,420	288,396,584	255,785,422
1978-79	2,455,769,746	449,531,914	417,771,562	319,504,162	310,628,851

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 15,255,488.80
1966-67	16,387,419.60
1967-68	17,439,376.30
1968-69	19,630,543.30
1969-70	21,409,736.80
1970-71	22,793,995.40
1971-72	26,047,795.10
1972-73	28,697,480.30
1973-74	31,546,717.30
1974-75	31,468,709.10
1975-76	34,980,232.00
1976-77	38,143,734.80
1977-78	43,654,839.80
1978-79	49,332,100.70



Founded 1758

Halifax

County Seat: Halifax
Elevation: 135 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Enfield, Halifax, Hobgood, Littleton, Roanoke Rapids, Scotland Neck, Weldon

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	454.8
WATER	5.4
TOTAL	460.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	269.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	153.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	18.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	58,956		
1970	54,354	- 2.1%	7302
1971	53,891	- 1.5	538
1972	54,059	- 0.5	411
1973	54,344	- 0.2	401
1974	54,721	0.0	350
1975	55,082	0.0	337
1976	54,821	- 1.1	321
1977	55,308	0.4	274
1978	55,334	- 0.5	291

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,330
1971	2,579
1972	2,788
1973	3,202
1974	3,553
1975	3,551
1976	4,248
1977	4,446
1978	4,981

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	20,282
REPUBLICAN	1,214
OTHER	333
TOTAL	21,829

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	19,900	18,600	1,300	6.5%
1971	20,470	19,100	1,370	6.7
1972	20,780	19,420	1,360	6.5
1973	20,920	19,840	1,080	5.2
1974	20,370	19,020	1,350	6.6
1975	20,740	18,470	2,270	10.9
1976	21,930	19,920	2,010	9.2
1977	21,830	19,710	2,120	9.7
1978	21,640	20,310	1,330	6.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	14,330	6,050	8,280
1971	15,220	6,720	8,500
1972	15,300	7,030	8,270
1973	15,760	7,560	8,200
1974	15,540	7,040	8,500
1975	14,470	5,840	8,630
1976	15,880	6,810	9,070
1977	16,080	6,740	9,340
1978	17,150	6,940	10,210

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	118	57
1966	NA	137	47
1967	NA	139	50
1968	NA	139	35
1969	NA	139	33
1970	NA	139	33
1971	NA	133	28
1972	15	132	34
1973	NA	162	36
1974	16	162	21
1975	NA	162	20
1976	18	200	26
1977	NA	200	16
1978	20	200	32
1979	NA	200	21

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,915	$ 6,398	710	253
1965 THRU 1969	3,245	23,163	388	391
1970 THRU 1974	9,769	11,245	430	210
1975 THRU 1979	10,700	81,358	360	155

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	132,097	$ 21,703,540
1966	131,494	23,345,056
1967	130,774	22,835,118
1968	129,421	22,174,767
1969	131,198	23,266,280
1970	127,883	26,836,000
1971	132,260	28,854,000
1972	128,066	27,645,000
1973	128,534	42,147,000
1974	125,776	44,488,000
1975	124,149	39,214,000
1976	122,839	49,160,000
1977	126,969	48,000,000
1978	NA	54,411,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,733	558	265	NA
1966-67	1,888	508	270	NA
1967-68	1,973	494	274	58
1968-69	2,289	508	300	58
1969-70	2,714	527	334	52
1970-71	3,261	567	407	53
1971-72	3,961	581	496	54
1972-73	4,210	542	548	56
1973-74	4,084	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	4,365	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	4,607	1,557	1,288	59
1976-77	5,137	1,477	1,315	56
1977-78	5,442	1,412	1,349	53
1978-79	5,660	1,402	1,433	51

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	144	19	101	15
1969	157	25	109	18
1970	136	19	121	19
1971	136	18	147	22
1972	106	22	185	16
1973	105	21	250	NA
1974	118	26	318	14
1975	117	41	353	11
1976	142	39	356	6
1977	136	24	NA	15
1978	101	42	NA	12
1979	126	33	421	13

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	213.74
MUNICIPAL	19.92
TOTAL	233.66
SECONDARY	
RURAL	635.85
MUNICIPAL	16.35
TOTAL	652.20
PAVED	697.28
UNPAVED	188.58
TOTAL	885.86

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	20,568	799	531	27
1966	22,037	986	488	40
1967	20,378	1,134	655	31
1968	21,130	1,014	510	30
1969	21,730	1,069	502	23
1970	22,171	1,072	509	18
1971	23,472	1,177	574	28
1972	24,841	1,111	654	27
1973	26,371	1,077	732	29
1974	27,216	1,071	588	19
1975	28,124	1,158	700	23
1976	29,519	1,230	696	20
1977	30,766	1,325	747	21
1978	31,950	1,236	595	17
1979	32,743	1,104	544	15

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	17,456	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	16,898	NA	523	245
1967-68	16,382	577	524	304
1968-69	16,020	724	539	307
1969-70	15,569	1,021	486	294
1970-71	14,670	1,467	526	277
1971-72	14,163	1,339	562	278
1972-73	13,711	1,301	577	285
1973-74	14,185	1,407	564	230
1974-75	13,888	1,566	613	261
1975-76	13,838	1,579	693	215
1976-77	13,611	1,892	739	204
1977-78	13,284	2,322	764	212
1978-79	12,939	2,245	773	236
1979-80	12,553	1,758	781	232

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 92,509,237	$ 23,316,909	$ 11,641,878	$ 27,676,743	$ 6,092,687
1966-67	106,120,254	25,839,991	12,745,772	35,051,123	6,291,189
1967-68	98,442,416	26,989,074	13,323,438	28,502,034	5,839,310
1968-69	110,238,527	28,288,910	14,108,182	34,358,616	6,801,511
1969-70	119,186,140	29,875,058	15,697,217	39,676,737	6,216,031
1970-71	128,292,536	36,905,679	16,342,316	35,318,312	7,224,695
1971-72	144,537,331	39,364,813	18,083,421	41,764,615	8,583,406
1972-73	155,058,686	39,483,030	19,882,409	44,472,939	9,626,857
1973-74	175,246,912	44,861,556	21,469,192	47,363,765	14,204,517
1974-75	183,190,932	51,823,729	21,563,552	47,753,369	13,878,769
1975-76	194,989,383	57,405,569	26,096,322	40,104,374	13,013,337
1976-77	206,540,319	58,422,719	26,964,225	43,152,723	13,486,629
1977-78	218,203,654	64,581,526	26,760,117	46,278,583	15,747,443
1978-79	238,154,037	70,488,193	31,214,560	52,481,914	18,457,855

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,141,612.80
1966-67	2,410,702.60
1967-68	2,272,905.00
1968-69	2,537,434.90
1969-70	2,770,410.90
1970-71	2,980,105.50
1971-72	3,380,591.30
1972-73	3,707,051.00
1973-74	4,172,127.60
1974-75	4,264,079.70
1975-76	4,445,088.50
1976-77	4,697,073.40
1977-78	5,059,909.50
1978-79	5,337,838.40

Founded 1855

Harnett

County Seat: Lillington
Elevation: 325 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Angier, Coats, Dunn, Erwin, Lillington

AREA (thousands of acres)

LAND	384.3
WATER	3.8
TOTAL	388.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	232.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	128.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	10.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	48,236		
1970	49,667	- 0.8%	5315
1971	50,173	- 0.1	551
1972	51,593	2.0	393
1973	52,330	0.6	429
1974	53,617	1.6	471
1975	53,968	- 0.2	461
1976	53,805	- 1.0	398
1977	54,874	1.1	453
1978	55,494	0.3	456

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,481
1971	2,686
1972	2,977
1973	3,303
1974	3,709
1975	4,024
1976	4,445
1977	4,657
1978	5,094

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	18,930
REPUBLICAN	3,837
OTHER	360
TOTAL	23,127

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	20,330	19,350	980	4.8%
1971	21,410	20,260	1,150	5.4
1972	21,910	20,880	1,030	4.7
1973	22,750	21,860	890	3.9
1974	22,720	21,670	1,050	4.6
1975	23,180	21,400	1,780	7.7
1976	24,540	23,030	1,510	6.2
1977	25,040	23,500	1,540	6.2
1978	25,480	23,950	1,530	6.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	10,860	3,840	7,020
1971	11,590	4,280	7,310
1972	11,800	4,680	7,120
1973	12,550	5,070	7,480
1974	12,780	5,080	7,700
1975	12,410	4,650	7,760
1976	13,470	4,920	8,550
1977	13,970	4,970	9,000
1978	14,410	4,900	9,510

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	108	29
1966	NA	104	27
1967	NA	104	35
1968	NA	100	25
1969	NA	156	23
1970	NA	156	29
1971	NA	164	27
1972	11	170	22
1973	NA	170	20
1974	9	170	19
1975	NA	170	17
1976	15	170	8
1977	NA	170	8
1978	15	170	19
1979	NA	171	17

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,572	$ 741	298	75
1965 THRU 1969	8,851	7,881	685	496
1970 THRU 1974	4,798	3,090	1,018	337
1975 THRU 1979	11,845	22,508	697	495

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	115,265	$ 28,086,315
1966	114,464	29,910,394
1967	117,159	32,185,408
1968	117,505	23,782,005
1969	112,512	29,135,515
1970	110,796	28,019,000
1971	113,289	27,794,000
1972	108,822	30,302,000
1973	105,638	36,234,000
1974	105,594	45,040,000
1975	103,462	46,050,000
1976	102,927	46,161,000
1977	101,553	41,431,000
1978	NA	48,651,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,674	619	379	NA
1966-67	1,379	621	395	NA
1967-68	1,203	590	393	82
1968-69	1,181	559	389	80
1969-70	1,082	532	413	74
1970-71	1,136	504	425	68
1971-72	1,224	492	437	71
1972-73	1,388	459	457	62
1973-74	1,404	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,856	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,184	1,032	896	61
1976-77	2,282	973	919	51
1977-78	2,272	931	927	50
1978-79	2,338	870	953	46

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	143	31	329	16
1969	114	28	291	16
1970	124	24	198	16
1971	124	28	176	12
1972	112	34	189	15
1973	88	23	233	NA
1974	80	21	302	19
1975	71	27	330	19
1976	107	26	301	16
1977	84	24	NA	13
1978	107	32	NA	15
1979	117	22	309	6

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	162.53
MUNICIPAL	15.56
TOTAL	178.09
SECONDARY	
RURAL	824.90
MUNICIPAL	19.64
TOTAL	844.54
PAVED	782.84
UNPAVED	239.79
TOTAL	1,022.63

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	19,883	923	699	41
1966	20,534	988	710	31
1967	21,472	1,058	756	40
1968	22,549	1,033	767	33
1969	22,921	1,150	770	23
1970	23,616	1,071	717	28
1971	25,140	1,232	755	40
1972	26,997	1,209	861	35
1973	28,947	1,056	690	36
1974	29,582	958	712	27
1975	30,942	1,117	720	25
1976	32,973	1,255	923	29
1977	34,147	1,308	907	21
1978	35,738	1,335	790	20
1979	36,837	1,315	874	29

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	12,904	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	12,561	NA	317	435
1967-68	12,573	424	338	401
1968-69	12,370	652	365	351
1969-70	12,194	889	384	416
1970-71	12,087	863	427	463
1971-72	12,143	1,820	414	436
1972-73	12,109	1,872	436	427
1973-74	12,363	1,715	438	408
1974-75	12,313	1,752	473	416
1975-76	12,403	3,051	479	419
1976-77	12,662	2,832	473	427
1977-78	12,599	3,279	493	463
1978-79	12,459	3,221	469	393
1979-80	12,381	2,561	487	393

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 63,924,536	$ 14,332,355	$ 12,653,619	$ 13,824,305	$ 5,424,552
1966-67	69,186,861	16,087,569	14,253,386	14,712,804	5,135,236
1967-68	73,630,087	16,973,704	15,490,303	15,742,417	4,796,224
1968-69	74,251,290	18,225,304	13,546,964	16,302,109	5,071,879
1969-70	78,596,113	20,368,673	15,568,143	15,819,916	5,712,626
1970-71	85,830,910	22,445,926	16,090,248	16,944,373	6,365,089
1971-72	100,051,621	24,317,976	18,185,694	18,769,351	9,058,131
1972-73	115,226,730	27,149,077	19,650,640	21,454,002	14,013,936
1973-74	122,556,531	32,429,849	21,709,059	22,465,727	11,287,947
1974-75	127,797,784	36,831,865	23,582,787	23,919,460	9,459,649
1975-76	146,465,870	42,366,984	25,594,682	28,544,795	10,267,375
1976-77	159,882,002	45,992,108	28,641,421	32,463,139	10,827,215
1977-78	175,946,550	51,094,101	30,557,094	34,364,124	14,147,682
1978-79	191,950,446	58,267,335	35,298,658	39,575,132	14,457,473

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,216,133.90
1966-67	1,319,044.70
1967-68	1,473,224.10
1968-69	1,488,486.60
1969-70	1,692,231.70
1970-71	1,818,917.40
1971-72	2,115,049.80
1972-73	2,333,122.80
1973-74	2,585,712.60
1974-75	2,695,477.90
1975-76	3,028,563.50
1976-77	3,295,714.20
1977-78	3,556,557.50
1978-79	3,959,647.00

Founded 1808

Haywood

County Seat: Waynesville
Elevation: 2,635 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Canton, Clyde, Hazelwood, Maggie Valley, Waynesville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	346.5
WATER	1.1
TOTAL	347.6
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	141.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	60.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	12.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	39,711		
1970	41,710	- 0.6%	4390
1971	42,176	0.3	334
1972	42,498	0.1	272
1973	42,741	0.1	217
1974	43,112	0.4	201
1975	43,623	0.8	168
1976	43,765	0.1	120
1977	43,565	- 0.6	79
1978	44,272	1.4	87

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,846
1971	3,029
1972	3,361
1973	3,815
1974	4,086
1975	4,483
1976	5,052
1977	5,641
1978	6,157

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	16,560
REPUBLICAN	4,235
OTHER	414
TOTAL	21,209

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	16,260	15,610	650	4.0%
1971	15,940	15,360	580	3.6
1972	16,430	15,960	470	2.9
1973	16,350	15,930	420	2.6
1974	16,790	16,070	720	4.3
1975	18,040	16,100	1,940	10.8
1976	17,970	17,060	910	5.1
1977	18,550	17,520	1,030	5.6
1978	18,690	18,030	660	3.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	11,720	5,820	5,900
1971	11,620	5,610	6,010
1972	11,930	5,830	6,100
1973	12,040	5,690	6,350
1974	12,470	5,900	6,570
1975	12,370	5,580	6,790
1976	13,170	5,810	7,360
1977	13,720	5,790	7,930
1978	14,260	5,910	8,350

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	150	16
1966	NA	132	22
1967	NA	132	16
1968	NA	132	17
1969	NA	132	17
1970	NA	134	16
1971	NA	134	17
1972	10	134	14
1973	NA	134	11
1974	14	134	10
1975	NA	134	7
1976	21	134	4
1977	NA	134	10
1978	26	134	6
1979	NA	134	7

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,596	$ 37,207	252	770
1965 THRU 1969	400	37,417	155	506
1970 THRU 1974	320	38,037	116	471
1975 THRU 1979	976	51,130	42	170

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	17,105	$ 7,411,898
1966	17,210	7,188,308
1967	16,913	7,134,639
1968	16,533	8,390,084
1969	15,300	9,183,487
1970	15,089	7,276,000
1971	14,370	7,343,000
1972	15,496	7,760,000
1973	13,741	9,409,000
1974	12,181	9,724,000
1975	12,268	9,963,000
1976	13,024	9,831,000
1977	11,312	10,359,000
1978	NA	12,839,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	728	548	167	NA
1966-67	730	471	179	NA
1967-68	698	439	188	29
1968-69	682	421	213	31
1969-70	714	424	225	28
1970-71	733	414	238	30
1971-72	751	388	253	32
1972-73	646	350	249	33
1973-74	573	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	662	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	680	700	495	26
1976-77	702	665	476	29
1977-78	662	657	481	29
1978-79	682	623	512	25

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	59	9	163	12
1969	36	14	139	9
1970	59	18	162	8
1971	49	15	179	4
1972	66	24	155	4
1973	64	23	175	NA
1974	74	28	223	12
1975	75	38	248	6
1976	54	31	242	11
1977	56	14	NA	14
1978	32	21	NA	1
1979	51	24	274	6

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	142.17
MUNICIPAL	12.22
TOTAL	154.39
SECONDARY	
RURAL	439.86
MUNICIPAL	17.95
TOTAL	457.81
PAVED	373.62
UNPAVED	238.58
TOTAL	612.20

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	19,919	657	282	9
1966	20,762	664	274	11
1967	21,523	735	331	5
1968	22,406	680	284	8
1969	22,819	875	333	6
1970	23,116	835	385	11
1971	24,325	797	371	11
1972	26,030	828	348	14
1973	27,619	824	427	17
1974	28,269	773	377	7
1975	29,162	838	459	11
1976	31,223	901	407	10
1977	32,355	940	475	7
1978	34,232	1,000	459	14
1979	35,187	886	388	12

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	9,668	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	9,379	NA	366	121
1967-68	9,389	823	434	114
1968-69	9,267	1,194	440	110
1969-70	9,161	1,582	443	114
1970-71	9,170	1,859	477	99
1971-72	9,252	1,758	498	96
1972-73	9,179	1,661	593	63
1973-74	9,246	1,581	514	73
1974-75	9,429	1,752	529	106
1975-76	9,603	2,011	559	107
1976-77	9,700	2,006	560	143
1977-78	9,653	2,079	569	152
1978-79	9,563	2,096	560	142
1979-80	9,406	2,287	556	138

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 59,011,047	$ 17,296,756	$ 8,260,483	$ 9,384,121	$ 6,552,831
1966-67	60,115,691	17,735,376	8,762,945	9,784,746	4,763,303
1967-68	63,618,126	18,997,597	9,545,851	10,789,932	5,263,734
1968-69	69,045,259	19,609,646	10,507,450	11,896,999	6,073,280
1969-70	72,146,233	21,718,918	12,006,547	12,147,895	6,499,156
1970-71	79,847,965	24,390,303	13,970,371	13,190,025	6,904,670
1971-72	89,794,919	26,469,054	14,812,369	15,235,673	8,394,661
1972-73	102,191,997	29,194,921	16,869,611	17,074,284	10,436,881
1973-74	113,438,212	33,919,836	19,230,734	18,283,343	11,086,438
1974-75	116,388,156	38,133,889	18,393,550	18,101,129	9,544,195
1975-76	134,106,635	40,858,503	21,063,466	21,049,204	12,100,154
1976-77	150,849,971	44,884,687	22,490,668	23,798,450	14,625,039
1977-78	170,974,674	49,406,526	23,927,441	28,441,750	17,417,014
1978-79	184,965,443	56,846,490	25,558,535	30,861,653	16,375,669

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,477,790.80
1966-67	1,489,314.00
1967-68	1,657,076.10
1968-69	1,676,956.10
1969-70	1,810,918.20
1970-71	1,994,805.30
1971-72	2,196,943.60
1972-73	2,465,695.10
1973-74	2,714,342.40
1974-75	2,861,322.70
1975-76	3,292,469.30
1976-77	3,627,189.80
1977-78	4,036,967.40
1978-79	4,309,481.10

Founded 1838

Henderson

County Seat: Hendersonville
Elevation: 2,146 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Hendersonville, Laurel Park

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	243.3
WATER	1.4
TOTAL	244.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	140.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	60.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	11.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	36,163		
1970	42,804	0.9%	3203
1971	43,999	1.7	288
1972	44,196	- 0.1	231
1973	46,061	3.8	178
1974	46,985	1.7	136
1975	48,470	2.9	133
1976	49,257	1.4	97
1977	50,517	2.4	93
1978	51,731	2.2	111

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,257
1971	3,560
1972	4,001
1973	4,493
1974	4,915
1975	5,250
1976	5,891
1977	6,431
1978	7,187

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	13,759
REPUBLICAN	12,162
OTHER	1,238
TOTAL	27,159

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	17,590	16,960	630	3.6%
1971	18,790	18,130	660	3.5
1972	18,820	18,350	470	2.5
1973	20,120	19,730	390	1.9
1974	19,600	19,070	530	2.7
1975	20,310	18,760	1,550	7.6
1976	21,120	20,260	860	4.1
1977	21,630	20,670	960	4.4
1978	23,330	22,590	740	3.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	11,850	4,610	7,240
1971	12,800	4,930	7,870
1972	12,790	4,860	7,930
1973	13,980	5,280	8,700
1974	14,240	5,240	9,000
1975	13,520	4,650	8,870
1976	14,710	4,980	9,730
1977	15,140	5,230	9,910
1978	16,790	5,650	11,140

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	257	19
1966	NA	289	12
1967	NA	289	16
1968	NA	289	24
1969	NA	289	16
1970	NA	323	17
1971	NA	323	16
1972	25	323	14
1973	NA	368	8
1974	28	368	4
1975	NA	368	16
1976	34	368	14
1977	NA	409	6
1978	37	403	10
1979	NA	389	8

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 527	$ 3,797	335	408
1965 THRU 1969	1,548	11,448	98	533
1970 THRU 1974	7,166	6,640	310	188
1975 THRU 1979	41,073	41,417	617	747

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	36,252	$ 11,186,316
1966	38,337	12,997,394
1967	41,986	12,000,661
1968	42,254	13,920,780
1969	34,469	14,673,169
1970	32,700	13,196,000
1971	34,915	11,661,000
1972	29,933	17,423,000
1973	32,969	16,728,000
1974	29,347	22,451,000
1975	28,305	21,261,000
1976	28,356	26,909,000
1977	29,888	27,346,000
1978	NA	30,217,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	200	382	134	NA
1966-67	192	363	134	NA
1967-68	209	338	143	30
1968-69	183	316	141	33
1969-70	300	310	151	38
1970-71	349	299	169	40
1971-72	362	291	187	38
1972-73	312	257	183	33
1973-74	361	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	464	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	688	796	435	30
1976-77	831	739	466	29
1977-78	832	694	486	32
1978-79	806	651	481	23

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	95	1	89	16
1969	79	1	128	9
1970	74	11	176	7
1971	80	15	196	7
1972	46	18	190	13
1973	73	18	190	NA
1974	50	25	202	26
1975	98	26	231	5
1976	60	17	234	18
1977	65	15	NA	13
1978	79	25	NA	13
1979	63	22	259	7

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	96.95
MUNICIPAL	6.76
TOTAL	103.71
SECONDARY	
RURAL	685.25
MUNICIPAL	8.25
TOTAL	693.50
PAVED	439.74
UNPAVED	357.47
TOTAL	797.21

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	21,048	819	360	11
1966	22,432	849	335	9
1967	23,717	787	312	7
1968	25,032	817	319	11
1969	25,839	912	367	8
1970	26,826	1,017	294	11
1971	28,546	1,165	340	5
1972	30,679	1,049	384	8
1973	33,137	1,050	550	14
1974	34,574	1,159	524	10
1975	36,249	1,199	619	16
1976	38,780	1,300	682	24
1977	41,155	1,499	799	16
1978	44,152	1,618	861	6
1979	46,451	1,704	899	9

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	8,867	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	8,896	NA	356	106
1967-68	8,993	333	402	103
1968-69	9,134	656	394	119
1969-70	9,220	570	441	102
1970-71	9,242	1,228	450	97
1971-72	9,286	1,666	437	96
1972-73	9,457	1,201	438	106
1973-74	9,833	421	477	110
1974-75	10,192	801	521	110
1975-76	10,408	1,589	560	133
1976-77	10,690	2,132	591	148
1977-78	10,875	2,237	643	180
1978-79	10,828	2,306	615	157
1979-80	10,845	2,684	651	191

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 65,555,332	$ 17,807,669	$ 8,786,742	$ 12,163,343	$ 6,833,398
1966-67	67,024,766	17,873,823	9,765,804	12,080,061	7,001,355
1967-68	69,698,894	18,801,696	9,508,337	12,682,949	6,973,921
1968-69	71,660,293	21,104,703	11,500,065	14,504,361	7,234,407
1969-70	85,915,348	24,523,621	12,463,351	15,773,493	7,217,831
1970-71	92,466,246	26,485,250	13,077,313	17,244,275	8,016,218
1971-72	107,363,299	28,483,793	14,405,501	19,599,029	10,476,887
1972-73	122,925,203	31,620,810	16,209,819	22,608,907	12,373,043
1973-74	142,306,082	36,962,991	18,465,072	26,981,913	14,360,098
1974-75	151,153,269	42,815,370	21,433,601	28,803,089	13,135,800
1975-76	183,321,150	48,294,694	24,319,029	36,473,910	16,405,960
1976-77	210,029,482	51,551,192	27,564,352	42,894,796	18,889,858
1977-78	241,559,000	60,704,869	30,714,681	46,500,839	23,537,534
1978-79	274,458,915	73,116,067	34,096,407	53,468,548	27,553,328

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,388,028.80
1966-67	1,450,294.80
1967-68	1,505,612.70
1968-69	1,689,098.00
1969-70	1,904,555.50
1970-71	2,039,491.20
1971-72	2,374,470.10
1972-73	2,666,326.70
1973-74	3,025,920.20
1974-75	3,247,499.80
1975-76	3,795,191.00
1976-77	4,239,306.70
1977-78	4,896,276.70
1978-79	5,472,383.60

Founded 1759

Hertford

County Seat: Winton
Elevation: 45 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Ahoskie, Cofield, Como, Harrellsville, Murfreesboro, Winton

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	226.7
WATER	5.0
TOTAL	231.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	151.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	59.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	5.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	22,718		
1970	24,439	- 0.4%	2685
1971	23,313	- 4.5	233
1972	23,408	- 0.2	139
1973	23,322	- 1.0	153
1974	23,481	0.1	133
1975	23,976	1.7	105
1976	23,971	- 0.5	117
1977	24,351	1.0	140
1978	24,675	0.7	159

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,369
1971	2,602
1972	3,003
1973	3,320
1974	3,760
1975	4,021
1976	4,591
1977	4,666
1978	5,080

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	10,079
REPUBLICAN	545
OTHER	99
TOTAL	10,723

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	9,180	8,580	600	6.5%
1971	8,980	8,420	560	6.2
1972	10,210	9,610	600	5.9
1973	10,460	9,910	550	5.3
1974	10,530	9,940	590	5.6
1975	10,370	9,620	750	7.2
1976	11,090	10,430	660	5.9
1977	11,700	10,840	860	7.4
1978	11,310	10,630	680	6.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	6,290	2,130	4,160
1971	6,250	2,010	4,240
1972	7,140	2,440	4,700
1973	7,490	2,590	4,900
1974	7,720	2,570	5,150
1975	7,340	2,370	4,970
1976	8,050	2,510	5,540
1977	8,500	2,540	5,960
1978	8,410	2,600	5,810

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	100	19
1966	NA	101	22
1967	NA	101	10
1968	NA	101	22
1969	NA	101	21
1970	NA	101	10
1971	NA	101	8
1972	9	116	11
1973	NA	116	9
1974	6	116	9
1975	NA	166	10
1976	7	166	6
1977	NA	166	10
1978	12	166	7
1979	NA	119	10

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 500	$ 482	100	180
1965 THRU 1969	37,844	1,626	1,037	102
1970 THRU 1974	1,616	19,240	243	145
1975 THRU 1979	2,040	3,958	96	314

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	54,257	$ 10,538,419
1966	53,295	10,115,294
1967	53,172	10,493,676
1968	53,262	10,653,589
1969	52,740	11,565,536
1970	52,800	11,877,000
1971	52,577	12,417,000
1972	52,157	13,222,000
1973	52,197	18,469,000
1974	51,759	19,581,000
1975	51,332	14,580,000
1976	52,390	23,092,000
1977	52,443	20,335,000
1978	NA	23,859,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	572	250	103	NA
1966-67	584	214	104	NA
1967-68	628	195	103	29
1968-69	630	206	110	32
1969-70	653	195	112	32
1970-71	637	181	107	32
1971-72	668	178	108	40
1972-73	660	157	119	36
1973-74	601	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	611	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	683	649	448	31
1976-77	749	624	469	27
1977-78	827	604	475	25
1978-79	827	555	498	22

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	30	5	99	3
1969	40	6	122	4
1970	48	10	132	1
1971	40	13	118	3
1972	34	13	110	1
1973	23	14	120	NA
1974	45	15	129	1
1975	43	17	186	2
1976	52	17	188	2
1977	49	17	NA	2
1978	57	20	NA	2
1979	53	17	158	7

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	93.98
MUNICIPAL	12.43
TOTAL	106.41
SECONDARY	
RURAL	316.92
MUNICIPAL	14.15
TOTAL	331.07
PAVED	333.25
UNPAVED	104.23
TOTAL	437.48

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	7,975	439	262	4
1966	8,382	455	324	9
1967	8,662	478	272	15
1968	9,093	505	220	8
1969	9,484	550	263	9
1970	9,718	570	231	6
1971	10,326	623	278	16
1972	10,849	611	343	14
1973	11,441	543	284	13
1974	11,773	541	370	17
1975	12,346	569	329	7
1976	13,049	569	318	9
1977	13,889	592	360	10
1978	14,340	550	295	9
1979	14,860	616	350	8

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	6,769	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	6,755	NA	225	148
1967-68	6,685	124	237	163
1968-69	6,626	218	258	183
1969-70	6,594	515	268	166
1970-71	6,230	680	337	170
1971-72	5,983	1,100	332	194
1972-73	5,694	895	285	167
1973-74	5,750	896	404	124
1974-75	5,575	942	421	156
1975-76	5,430	1,021	441	147
1976-77	5,387	760	422	149
1977-78	5,300	968	419	174
1978-79	5,155	981	409	165
1979-80	5,053	924	368	164

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 33,042,822	$ 8,415,197	$ 5,871,433	$ 5,437,286	$ 1,098,670
1966-67	33,629,787	9,428,563	6,323,040	5,672,552	1,226,393
1967-68	37,133,834	9,191,836	6,805,333	5,658,622	1,780,384
1968-69	41,609,608	10,194,190	7,991,963	6,084,947	2,562,592
1969-70	43,303,033	11,238,387	9,040,838	6,519,933	2,730,805
1970-71	48,567,835	12,978,879	10,201,153	6,598,215	3,289,366
1971-72	53,163,537	14,445,436	10,808,934	7,196,756	3,555,894
1972-73	59,378,251	15,669,462	12,059,534	7,421,154	4,827,508
1973-74	68,694,642	18,523,265	13,596,779	8,039,741	5,124,093
1974-75	76,279,381	21,627,376	14,729,657	9,858,001	4,795,094
1975-76	87,539,006	24,783,065	16,994,295	11,647,410	6,386,885
1976-77	100,539,852	27,127,304	19,355,141	14,056,882	8,675,727
1977-78	102,848,283	29,624,313	20,268,780	12,927,348	8,763,808
1978-79	108,695,920	29,438,347	22,359,444	12,117,102	10,583,909

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 681,726.30
1966-67	693,633.30
1967-68	725,087.30
1968-69	801,332.10
1969-70	887,334.80
1970-71	1,057,976.70
1971-72	1,150,598.10
1972-73	1,249,156.20
1973-74	1,377,028.40
1974-75	1,584,765.90
1975-76	1,846,044.90
1976-77	2,094,337.00
1977-78	2,189,595.50
1978-79	2,269,462.00

Founded 1911

Hoke

County Seat: Raeford
Elevation: 262 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	241.8
WATER	2.9
TOTAL	244.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	92.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	47.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	6.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	16,356		
1970	16,436	- 1.4%	2331
1971	16,800	0.2	315
1972	17,137	0.8	208
1973	17,150	- 1.0	191
1974	17,308	- 0.3	210
1975	18,688	6.6	245
1976	18,251	- 3.6	235
1977	18,542	0.3	228
1978	18,656	- 0.5	205

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,130
1971	2,265
1972	2,605
1973	3,053
1974	3,296
1975	3,240
1976	3,802
1977	3,930
1978	4,142

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	5,665
REPUBLICAN	364
OTHER	71
TOTAL	6,100

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	6,490	6,000	490	7.6%
1971	6,470	5,870	600	9.3
1972	7,320	6,750	570	7.8
1973	7,820	7,320	500	6.4
1974	7,920	7,440	480	6.1
1975	7,830	6,900	930	11.9
1976	7,960	7,300	660	8.3
1977	8,440	7,570	870	10.3
1978	7,060	6,400	660	9.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	4,180	2,420	1,760
1971	4,130	2,370	1,760
1972	4,720	2,950	1,770
1973	5,210	3,350	1,860
1974	5,480	3,340	2,140
1975	5,010	2,840	2,170
1976	5,330	3,090	2,240
1977	5,680	3,130	2,550
1978	4,790	2,510	2,280

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	15
1966	NA	0	14
1967	NA	0	17
1968	NA	0	13
1969	NA	0	9
1970	NA	0	9
1971	NA	0	14
1972	4	0	10
1973	NA	0	5
1974	4	0	7
1975	NA	0	12
1976	5	0	4
1977	NA	0	6
1978	3	0	10
1979	NA	0	7

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 700	0	185
1965 THRU 1969	0	1,275	0	240
1970 THRU 1974	3,374	10,150	150	545
1975 THRU 1979	7,308	8,352	135	370

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	58,416	$ 9,827,400
1966	58,881	11,251,371
1967	60,046	11,103,307
1968	60,550	8,973,324
1969	62,557	11,353,817
1970	61,284	11,878,000
1971	58,697	11,609,000
1972	56,748	11,546,000
1973	54,416	15,160,000
1974	46,693	15,104,000
1975	53,355	49,289,000
1976	55,206	16,446,000
1977	63,351	14,938,000
1978	NA	17,052,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	203	146	45	NA
1966-67	319	137	59	NA
1967-68	389	132	66	13
1968-69	377	131	73	12
1969-70	406	122	74	12
1970-71	497	118	70	12
1971-72	547	109	74	15
1972-73	536	100	86	13
1973-74	528	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	549	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	617	300	226	9
1976-77	654	297	230	12
1977-78	738	281	233	14
1978-79	838	269	249	15

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	46	5	153	9
1969	56	13	147	9
1970	61	13	191	5
1971	60	13	138	11
1972	65	18	187	6
1973	67	16	205	NA
1974	70	19	228	11
1975	67	20	253	9
1976	74	27	218	5
1977	71	28	NA	11
1978	76	31	NA	8
1979	55	40	215	4

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	54.25
MUNICIPAL	6.59
TOTAL	60.84
SECONDARY	
RURAL	362.32
MUNICIPAL	4.41
TOTAL	366.73
PAVED	391.28
UNPAVED	36.29
TOTAL	427.57

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	4,042	228	167	11
1966	4,328	226	178	14
1967	4,669	279	205	11
1968	4,717	286	253	14
1969	4,824	305	190	13
1970	5,069	308	194	10
1971	5,396	334	252	30
1972	5,749	314	225	12
1973	6,386	377	300	11
1974	6,650	331	238	20
1975	7,051	324	216	12
1976	7,652	328	240	12
1977	8,005	333	225	5
1978	8,216	365	256	12
1979	8,491	349	226	11

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	5,191	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	5,105	NA	130	33
1967-68	5,166	296	141	50
1968-69	5,032	322	146	48
1969-70	4,996	419	169	52
1970-71	5,036	432	175	44
1971-72	4,978	604	196	38
1972-73	4,936	565	191	84
1973-74	4,945	406	173	47
1974-75	4,932	1,076	175	59
1975-76	4,943	1,138	203	61
1976-77	4,933	931	220	57
1977-78	4,958	825	239	55
1978-79	4,780	1,063	223	38
1979-80	4,849	1,071	240	47

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 11,689,721	$ 3,085,396	$ 1,958,502	$ 3,191,828	$ 299,583
1966-67	12,488,694	3,551,086	1,993,857	3,830,010	216,843
1967-68	13,345,067	4,073,457	2,018,315	4,004,352	295,390
1968-69	15,442,658	4,568,025	2,158,357	5,026,888	307,832
1969-70	16,336,563	4,816,616	2,203,988	5,409,356	297,004
1970-71	16,839,180	5,308,944	2,035,404	5,476,628	308,757
1971-72	19,972,309	6,224,520	2,656,248	5,822,141	376,852
1972-73	23,378,007	7,444,365	3,691,139	5,746,431	476,721
1973-74	27,533,915	9,743,250	4,708,482	6,554,668	455,348
1974-75	28,747,462	11,575,129	4,674,923	6,638,074	536,990
1975-76	32,076,350	11,973,971	5,267,776	7,309,335	767,832
1976-77	33,590,792	11,957,455	5,526,455	7,801,720	1,121,551
1977-78	33,477,147	12,644,197	5,266,135	7,669,863	925,281
1978-79	35,675,439	13,327,412	5,592,958	8,064,719	1,332,179

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 242,950.20
1966-67	266,854.10
1967-68	297,566.20
1968-69	330,684.80
1969-70	350,520.50
1970-71	369,955.10
1971-72	424,641.90
1972-73	488,310.90
1973-74	579,327.50
1974-75	596,392.80
1975-76	660,872.80
1976-77	688,423.60
1977-78	706,993.50
1978-79	733,743.00

Founded 1705

Hyde

County Seat: Swan Quarter
Elevation: 10 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	405.7
WATER	471.0
TOTAL	876.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	236.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	66.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	5,765		
1970	5,571	- 0.8%	244
1971	5,600	0.2	17
1972	5,517	- 1.6	7
1973	5,540	0.2	9
1974	5,384	- 3.0	8
1975	5,534	2.6	11
1976	5,709	2.8	21
1977	5,796	1.3	14
1978	5,679	- 2.2	8

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,204
1971	1,789
1972	2,515
1973	3,341
1974	3,590
1975	3,384
1976	3,870
1977	3,575
1978	4,421

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	2,562
REPUBLICAN	244
OTHER	32
TOTAL	2,838

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	1,980	1,820	160	8.1%
1971	1,980	1,780	200	10.1
1972	2,030	1,830	200	9.9
1973	2,030	1,840	190	9.4
1974	1,990	1,830	160	8.1
1975	2,260	2,120	140	6.2
1976	2,300	2,140	160	7.0
1977	2,320	2,100	220	9.5
1978	2,610	2,420	190	7.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	750	170	580
1971	740	130	610
1972	760	140	620
1973	780	160	620
1974	800	150	650
1975	950	140	810
1976	970	100	870
1977	980	80	900
1978	1,150	100	1,050

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	4
1966	NA	0	3
1967	NA	0	6
1968	NA	0	2
1969	NA	0	2
1970	NA	0	4
1971	NA	0	6
1972	1	0	5
1973	NA	0	4
1974	1	0	1
1975	NA	0	0
1976	0	0	3
1977	NA	0	2
1978	1	0	3
1979	NA	0	2

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 0	0	0
1965 THRU 1969	190	0	50	0
1970 THRU 1974	150	150	7	0
1975 THRU 1979	250	0	20	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	47,670	$ 4,603,234
1966	50,110	4,476,181
1967	53,894	5,200,486
1968	53,465	5,176,795
1969	54,906	5,914,068
1970	55,583	7,219,000
1971	58,531	5,366,000
1972	58,164	7,600,000
1973	61,623	11,741,000
1974	58,578	14,205,000
1975	60,682	13,541,000
1976	66,696	15,924,000
1977	66,393	13,534,000
1978	NA	12,353,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	148	147	30	NA
1966-67	156	130	26	NA
1967-68	171	114	26	21
1968-69	148	104	26	20
1969-70	184	99	27	21
1970-71	187	96	25	20
1971-72	190	86	27	18
1972-73	200	70	22	19
1973-74	232	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	246	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	242	236	89	17
1976-77	267	209	92	15
1977-78	249	192	88	15
1978-79	204	187	97	13

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	3	9	8	0
1969	18	5	11	0
1970	9	4	64	1
1971	7	3	47	1
1972	9	3	23	3
1973	8	0	27	NA
1974	7	1	19	0
1975	9	3	27	0
1976	6	1	37	0
1977	12	1	NA	0
1978	7	2	NA	0
1979	15	1	36	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	76.94
MUNICIPAL	0.00
TOTAL	76.94
SECONDARY	
RURAL	199.33
MUNICIPAL	0.00
TOTAL	199.33
PAVED	206.44
UNPAVED	69.83
TOTAL	276.27

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	1,906	47	17	1
1966	1,915	61	20	4
1967	1,988	56	30	3
1968	2,139	59	20	3
1969	2,187	76	26	2
1970	2,249	61	20	1
1971	2,334	54	29	1
1972	2,433	54	30	3
1973	2,623	49	19	0
1974	2,796	38	34	3
1975	3,008	62	38	6
1976	3,337	59	33	3
1977	3,373	66	45	4
1978	3,548	76	44	3
1979	3,744	65	29	3

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	1,475	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,506	NA	34	19
1967-68	1,489	52	46	20
1968-69	1,825	310	40	19
1969-70	1,445	358	45	18
1970-71	1,394	409	49	18
1971-72	1,333	114	49	13
1972-73	1,296	282	41	20
1973-74	1,303	258	42	13
1974-75	1,309	183	44	38
1975-76	1,330	274	57	10
1976-77	1,317	142	46	16
1977-78	1,301	250	51	29
1978-79	1,291	232	62	15
1979-80	1,231	163	58	15

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 3,621,101	$ 1,118,374	$ 925,355	$ 693,268	$ 6,810
1966-67	4,157,984	1,115,186	1,092,048	791,547	16,441
1967-68	4,543,354	1,049,983	1,134,223	1,050,656	6,173
1968-69	4,874,354	1,042,079	1,201,050	1,150,409	9,486
1969-70	5,393,394	1,136,069	1,328,962	1,176,799	9,775
1970-71	5,801,429	1,165,979	1,433,540	1,235,865	46,118
1971-72	6,091,580	1,440,975	1,327,212	1,289,777	11,652
1972-73	6,867,714	1,829,075	1,428,614	1,406,833	13,974
1973-74	8,890,399	2,396,604	1,840,292	1,708,919	185,514
1974-75	10,444,887	2,863,569	1,917,873	2,354,668	258,874
1975-76	11,890,762	3,387,490	1,976,371	2,550,791	425,306
1976-77	12,521,008	3,949,156	1,836,984	3,065,030	184,896
1977-78	14,020,962	4,463,399	2,393,344	2,979,945	220,962
1978-79	15,286,250	5,501,881	1,937,815	3,178,909	504,306

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 77,015.10
1966-67	87,037.70
1967-68	92,383.00
1968-69	102,797.90
1969-70	107,541.70
1970-71	119,069.30
1971-72	123,231.60
1972-73	140,107.10
1973-74	171,078.00
1974-75	198,956.40
1975-76	230,978.40
1976-77	245,379.70
1977-78	277,470.40
1978-79	303,812.50

Founded 1788

Iredell

County Seat: Statesville
Elevation: 925 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Davidson (Part), Harmony, Love Valley, Mooresville, Statesville, Troutman

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	366.1
WATER	13.4
TOTAL	379.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	171.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	166.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	19.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	62,526		
1970	72,197	0.3%	7900
1971	73,485	0.5	864
1972	75,138	1.5	518
1973	76,187	0.7	491
1974	77,383	0.9	487
1975	77,765	0.0	366
1976	76,865	- 1.6	325
1977	77,846	0.8	352
1978	79,183	1.3	346

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,051
1971	3,262
1972	3,613
1973	4,036
1974	4,350
1975	4,637
1976	5,246
1977	5,737
1978	6,450

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	23,665
REPUBLICAN	8,391
OTHER	1,266
TOTAL	33,322

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	34,520	33,260	1,260	3.7%
1971	34,290	32,980	1,310	3.8
1972	34,990	34,110	880	2.5
1973	35,920	35,140	780	2.2
1974	36,400	34,930	1,470	4.0
1975	37,020	33,190	3,830	10.3
1976	37,460	34,900	2,560	6.8
1977	37,880	35,330	2,550	6.7
1978	38,370	36,400	1,970	5.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	27,850	15,950	11,900
1971	27,780	15,770	12,010
1972	28,480	16,320	12,160
1973	29,700	16,760	12,940
1974	30,320	16,810	13,510
1975	28,330	14,600	13,730
1976	29,970	15,270	14,700
1977	30,590	15,280	15,310
1978	31,790	15,460	16,330

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	371	36
1966	NA	389	40
1967	NA	389	34
1968	NA	389	27
1969	NA	387	38
1970	NA	387	38
1971	NA	385	33
1972	29	385	32
1973	NA	499	25
1974	31	499	35
1975	NA	499	15
1976	38	499	25
1977	NA	499	13
1978	41	499	25
1979	NA	458	21

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 3,583	$ 15,771	955	2,540
1965 THRU 1969	3,075	13,396	427	620
1970 THRU 1974	15,005	6,929	674	216
1975 THRU 1979	113,112	44,677	1,382	311

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	105,097	$ 17,289,593
1966	104,517	18,674,641
1967	103,851	20,743,101
1968	100,288	22,175,243
1969	95,195	24,775,776
1970	93,121	16,258,000
1971	87,604	16,063,000
1972	84,617	17,996,000
1973	82,265	24,746,000
1974	76,126	27,636,000
1975	75,524	27,783,000
1976	63,122	30,997,000
1977	66,271	32,486,000
1978	NA	39,089,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	333	449	189	NA
1966-67	323	413	208	NA
1967-68	428	388	232	50
1968-69	476	369	242	52
1969-70	689	360	266	49
1970-71	951	349	313	45
1971-72	1,146	351	351	46
1972-73	1,222	340	361	38
1973-74	1,274	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,840	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,191	885	729	37
1976-77	2,311	792	718	34
1977-78	1,782	758	709	32
1978-79	1,609	709	718	29

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	156	23	257	29
1969	139	29	306	36
1970	103	33	352	28
1971	101	40	369	25
1972	108	28	401	16
1973	122	24	460	NA
1974	121	33	482	12
1975	148	51	518	11
1976	178	37	497	12
1977	158	45	NA	20
1978	106	53	NA	13
1979	135	43	507	15

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	181.63
MUNICIPAL	33.64
TOTAL	215.27
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,133.77
MUNICIPAL	33.05
TOTAL	1,166.82
PAVED	997.36
UNPAVED	384.73
TOTAL	1,382.09

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	33,038	1,319	673	15
1966	35,283	1,474	703	24
1967	37,036	1,584	841	25
1968	38,887	1,603	736	33
1969	40,145	1,760	786	26
1970	41,150	1,702	781	26
1971	43,671	1,702	720	19
1972	46,668	1,649	772	20
1973	49,906	1,824	987	19
1974	51,398	1,686	943	20
1975	53,018	1,763	1,012	18
1976	55,430	1,958	1,085	12
1977	58,367	2,012	1,002	22
1978	61,773	2,308	1,294	19
1979	63,949	2,195	1,113	24

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

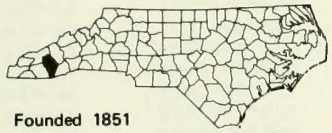
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	16,499	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	16,621	NA	515	579
1967-68	16,952	519	547	516
1968-69	16,244	762	585	499
1969-70	17,332	1,416	623	453
1970-71	17,278	2,006	681	426
1971-72	17,385	2,204	714	481
1972-73	17,301	2,448	708	391
1973-74	17,462	3,113	703	230
1974-75	17,534	3,030	703	234
1975-76	17,519	3,555	767	278
1976-77	18,177	3,312	794	278
1977-78	18,064	3,555	827	253
1978-79	17,764	2,742	846	255
1979-80	17,534	3,507	883	273

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 115,911,138	$ 25,891,465	$ 21,046,022	$ 18,585,541	$ 12,435,507
1966-67	124,514,896	28,136,017	26,099,040	19,450,793	11,525,985
1967-68	126,825,994	28,730,078	26,876,346	20,593,284	10,785,200
1968-69	140,930,956	31,997,084	27,899,530	23,196,743	12,234,898
1969-70	145,819,466	34,224,616	30,264,762	23,972,168	12,303,123
1970-71	156,413,152	37,125,644	33,759,301	23,622,725	13,777,909
1971-72	179,992,558	40,263,771	38,010,467	27,043,363	17,354,709
1972-73	210,335,644	45,190,546	42,888,058	31,075,805	22,589,069
1973-74	234,512,574	52,160,168	50,778,596	32,719,134	23,106,587
1974-75	237,486,171	59,335,324	47,496,167	34,490,718	21,326,320
1975-76	266,906,454	65,776,553	50,574,762	42,891,482	23,976,767
1976-77	303,306,710	72,719,131	55,145,333	47,615,003	30,691,959
1977-78	345,428,286	76,893,567	60,047,480	51,360,576	37,983,909
1978-79	389,749,247	92,239,733	64,870,909	60,675,152	39,275,768

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,469,686.70
1966-67	2,636,175.40
1967-68	2,688,012.10
1968-69	3,018,520.50
1969-70	3,201,302.20
1970-71	3,478,418.20
1971-72	3,922,751.50
1972-73	4,498,714.70
1973-74	4,982,520.00
1974-75	4,990,359.20
1975-76	5,654,117.10
1976-77	6,272,986.90
1977-78	6,988,535.10
1978-79	7,876,525.30



Founded 1851

Jackson

County Seat: Sylva
Elevation: 2,047 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Cashiers, Dillsboro, Highlands (Part), Sylva, Webster

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	315.8
WATER	3.9
TOTAL	319.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	232.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	27.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	17,780		
1970	21,593	1.2%	1562
1971	22,312	1.9	201
1972	23,113	2.9	153
1973	23,785	2.4	116
1974	24,394	2.2	95
1975	24,338	- 0.6	93
1976	24,479	0.2	89
1977	24,940	1.5	82
1978	24,720	- 1.3	93

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,239
1971	2,500
1972	2,804
1973	3,185
1974	3,245
1975	3,652
1976	4,037
1977	4,343
1978	4,757

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	8,832
REPUBLICAN	3,695
OTHER	554
TOTAL	13,081

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	8,110	7,680	430	5.3%
1971	8,680	8,240	440	5.1
1972	9,540	9,090	450	4.7
1973	10,800	10,440	360	3.3
1974	11,080	10,560	520	4.7
1975	11,330	10,390	940	8.3
1976	11,860	11,180	680	5.7
1977	11,920	11,270	650	5.5
1978	12,490	12,040	450	3.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	4,880	1,250	3,630
1971	5,270	1,350	3,920
1972	5,690	1,460	4,230
1973	6,670	1,690	4,980
1974	6,960	1,690	5,270
1975	6,860	1,410	5,450
1976	7,400	1,530	5,870
1977	7,460	1,660	5,800
1978	7,950	1,850	6,100

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	50	5
1966	NA	49	9
1967	NA	49	7
1968	NA	49	2
1969	NA	49	3
1970	NA	49	8
1971	NA	76	8
1972	11	79	6
1973	NA	78	8
1974	8	78	8
1975	NA	78	11
1976	10	78	3
1977	NA	78	5
1978	17	78	5
1979	NA	78	5

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,207	$ 391	1,100	221
1965 THRU 1969	595	4,140	185	250
1970 THRU 1974	710	1,270	250	250
1975 THRU 1979	5,064	2,510	148	405

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	12,314	$ 1,078,094
1966	11,450	1,201,884
1967	12,065	1,127,048
1968	11,428	1,326,910
1969	8,192	1,820,915
1970	8,811	1,108,000
1971	9,384	1,153,000
1972	8,416	1,597,000
1973	8,644	2,692,000
1974	8,316	1,957,000
1975	7,667	2,266,000
1976	4,050	2,695,000
1977	6,330	2,920,000
1978	NA	3,629,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	567	387	133	NA
1966-67	479	369	124	NA
1967-68	439	334	125	11
1968-69	420	297	127	12
1969-70	485	272	127	13
1970-71	539	232	127	11
1971-72	582	220	128	12
1972-73	575	201	131	6
1973-74	501	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	428	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	425	568	291	12
1976-77	401	530	296	13
1977-78	341	518	313	17
1978-79	298	493	329	13

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	25	2	71	7
1969	12	3	61	6
1970	30	0	75	5
1971	31	3	62	3
1972	36	9	90	3
1973	29	8	207	NA
1974	27	7	105	1
1975	30	5	122	1
1976	13	7	113	1
1977	18	4	NA	0
1978	18	6	NA	1
1979	20	11	126	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	113.13
MUNICIPAL	9.37
TOTAL	122.50
SECONDARY	
RURAL	433.44
MUNICIPAL	15.69
TOTAL	449.13
PAVED	273.32
UNPAVED	298.31
TOTAL	571.63

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	7,229	262	160	4
1966	7,634	308	150	8
1967	8,057	339	190	4
1968	8,536	325	156	3
1969	9,012	369	208	7
1970	9,303	365	195	6
1971	9,923	392	148	11
1972	10,746	401	163	8
1973	11,612	403	210	6
1974	12,154	478	230	6
1975	12,677	455	277	13
1976	13,677	427	248	9
1977	14,463	507	247	12
1978	15,114	404	248	3
1979	15,624	406	284	6

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,580	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,482	NA	326	15
1967-68	3,485	330	335	13
1968-69	3,460	448	337	17
1969-70	3,512	493	317	18
1970-71	3,603	574	389	21
1971-72	3,594	450	393	20
1972-73	3,624	562	393	13
1973-74	3,807	491	466	15
1974-75	3,925	932	494	26
1975-76	3,983	830	543	24
1976-77	4,072	657	549	31
1977-78	4,143	684	497	39
1978-79	4,124	892	547	45
1979-80	4,130	844	548	37

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 19,878,589	$ 4,529,732	$ 3,681,530	$ 4,499,316	$ 1,658,440
1966-67	20,914,185	4,866,403	3,823,214	4,721,773	2,063,816
1967-68	21,724,012	5,152,402	4,078,367	5,288,693	1,760,212
1968-69	23,748,200	7,330,450	3,317,984	5,547,956	1,389,223
1969-70	25,143,681	8,159,973	3,103,506	5,851,185	1,436,071
1970-71	27,023,154	9,053,796	3,335,982	6,361,940	1,293,278
1971-72	31,421,421	9,783,258	3,651,435	7,289,817	1,638,893
1972-73	35,828,568	10,882,912	4,095,422	8,072,130	2,110,270
1973-74	39,078,405	12,994,352	4,304,390	8,176,755	2,415,220
1974-75	40,822,117	14,767,927	4,418,371	8,714,607	2,427,447
1975-76	47,042,202	16,364,107	5,564,700	9,743,426	2,440,415
1976-77	53,578,612	17,655,106	6,458,108	11,652,225	2,585,339
1977-78	60,049,154	19,815,405	6,829,379	13,422,843	2,488,247
1978-79	68,185,328	23,651,123	7,852,039	14,642,943	2,840,177

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 448,614.40
1966-67	490,410.10
1967-68	493,940.40
1968-69	532,273.50
1969-70	567,131.20
1970-71	612,584.40
1971-72	697,082.10
1972-73	786,001.80
1973-74	880,404.90
1974-75	941,386.00
1975-76	1,040,780.90
1976-77	1,154,776.40
1977-78	1,315,867.70
1978-79	1,533,714.00

Founded 1746

Johnston

County Seat: Smithfield
Elevation: 155 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Benson, Clayton, Four Oaks, Kenly (Part), Micro, Pine Level, Princeton, Selma, Smithfield

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	505.4
WATER	3.4
TOTAL	508.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	249.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	222.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	17.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	62,936		
1970	61,737	- 1.0%	5213
1971	62,290	0.1	512
1972	63,013	0.6	344
1973	63,268	- 0.1	324
1974	64,070	0.8	320
1975	65,360	1.6	275
1976	65,667	0.0	307
1977	65,998	0.0	329
1978	66,953	1.0	268

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,760
1971	2,968
1972	3,396
1973	3,841
1974	4,382
1975	4,609
1976	4,897
1977	5,281
1978	6,157

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	25,091
REPUBLICAN	4,594
OTHER	619
TOTAL	30,304

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	27,290	26,290	1,000	3.7%
1971	26,840	25,760	1,080	4.0
1972	28,460	27,450	1,010	3.5
1973	29,460	28,280	1,180	4.0
1974	29,720	28,290	1,430	4.8
1975	30,020	27,370	2,650	8.8
1976	30,690	28,580	2,110	6.9
1977	30,890	29,130	1,760	5.7
1978	32,640	31,070	1,570	4.8

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	22,880	14,670	8,210
1971	14,620	6,420	8,200
1972	15,470	7,050	8,420
1973	16,280	7,970	8,310
1974	16,720	7,850	8,870
1975	15,910	6,900	9,010
1976	16,730	7,170	9,560
1977	17,650	7,730	9,920
1978	19,370	8,170	11,200

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	128	39
1966	NA	181	46
1967	NA	181	29
1968	NA	181	34
1969	NA	181	24
1970	NA	179	42
1971	NA	179	24
1972	16	179	26
1973	NA	172	20
1974	17	172	22
1975	NA	172	14
1976	21	172	16
1977	NA	172	17
1978	22	172	12
1979	NA	173	13

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 976	$ 3,970	121	963
1965 THRU 1969	11,399	12,048	1,906	1,665
1970 THRU 1974	12,000	11,912	1,377	776
1975 THRU 1979	45,025	37,744	936	2,305

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	193,487	$ 44,006,792
1966	194,330	53,960,715
1967	196,396	51,098,763
1968	194,211	48,341,344
1969	193,457	60,758,699
1970	196,296	51,791,000
1971	191,871	51,667,000
1972	193,391	61,320,000
1973	184,707	74,855,000
1974	188,415	94,282,000
1975	180,048	98,462,000
1976	183,922	90,558,000
1977	182,053	87,037,000
1978	NA	106,220,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	2,088	715	417	NA
1966-67	2,382	713	449	NA
1967-68	2,461	707	482	71
1968-69	2,572	722	516	72
1969-70	2,882	788	564	69
1970-71	3,152	811	644	68
1971-72	3,196	788	707	60
1972-73	2,763	704	712	53
1973-74	2,242	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,220	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,351	1,731	1,481	40
1976-77	2,284	1,640	1,533	41
1977-78	1,937	1,528	1,538	36
1978-79	1,595	1,492	1,572	34

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	143	26	193	29
1969	110	25	275	22
1970	133	33	236	8
1971	167	35	257	9
1972	121	41	267	7
1973	124	34	255	NA
1974	113	40	412	22
1975	133	37	413	11
1976	123	35	482	7
1977	121	46	NA	8
1978	137	56	NA	5
1979	176	48	507	3

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	266.58
MUNICIPAL	19.21
TOTAL	285.79
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,198.13
MUNICIPAL	29.24
TOTAL	1,227.37
PAVED	1,166.33
UNPAVED	346.83
TOTAL	1,513.16

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	26,805	1,021	770	36
1966	28,057	1,156	793	33
1967	29,647	1,337	922	34
1968	31,284	1,317	783	53
1969	32,332	1,461	919	35
1970	33,374	1,492	856	40
1971	35,369	1,547	795	36
1972	37,695	1,493	882	55
1973	40,130	1,447	994	24
1974	41,189	1,393	865	30
1975	42,909	1,388	853	31
1976	45,398	1,519	992	18
1977	46,891	1,588	957	23
1978	49,537	1,812	1,102	36
1979	51,104	1,673	1,048	29

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

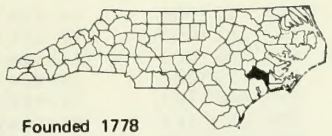
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	16,386	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	16,098	NA	529	346
1967-68	15,964	772	564	338
1968-69	15,735	694	586	306
1969-70	15,373	1,326	627	297
1970-71	15,236	801	637	305
1971-72	15,244	1,855	635	309
1972-73	14,951	1,884	657	355
1973-74	15,712	2,162	633	331
1974-75	15,771	879	647	295
1975-76	15,852	2,482	674	321
1976-77	15,699	1,871	685	318
1977-78	15,730	2,445	690	292
1978-79	15,629	3,048	713	297
1979-80	15,605	1,491	743	331

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 80,468,375	$ 20,773,475	$ 11,556,934	$ 17,866,638	$ 4,328,322
1966-67	88,901,644	22,713,568	13,338,270	20,971,009	5,001,885
1967-68	97,230,628	24,313,826	14,222,466	23,863,546	5,772,667
1968-69	104,801,005	25,478,476	14,961,577	25,652,012	7,172,469
1969-70	111,626,738	27,800,151	16,238,507	27,581,665	7,204,480
1970-71	126,118,557	30,580,125	17,891,246	33,607,185	7,570,799
1971-72	135,439,663	33,267,384	19,384,254	28,371,711	10,460,358
1972-73	152,628,335	36,160,678	20,828,846	31,532,003	13,094,726
1973-74	171,447,993	42,285,216	23,867,172	35,802,407	13,808,547
1974-75	191,009,943	48,647,580	28,425,931	41,826,409	11,377,014
1975-76	223,019,623	54,004,299	32,282,923	48,349,781	13,062,954
1976-77	230,393,535	57,244,683	33,649,788	50,228,821	15,256,569
1977-78	260,102,239	64,624,888	35,301,890	53,645,665	19,563,772
1978-79	306,359,930	72,798,668	41,663,901	59,755,214	23,408,675

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,517,079.80
1966-67	1,664,033.00
1967-68	1,817,366.90
1968-69	1,983,787.50
1969-70	2,163,305.10
1970-71	2,387,179.50
1971-72	2,717,912.70
1972-73	3,030,894.50
1973-74	3,296,162.60
1974-75	3,487,098.50
1975-76	4,013,766.90
1976-77	4,234,023.70
1977-78	4,718,014.00
1978-79	5,349,484.50



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Jones

County Seat: Trenton
Elevation: 28 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Maysville, Pollocksville, Trenton

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	298.0
WATER	1.3
TOTAL	299.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	208.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	46.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	1.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	11,005		
1970	9,779	- 2.2%	1115
1971	9,888	0.1	92
1972	9,857	- 1.0	67
1973	9,762	- 1.4	47
1974	9,560	- 2.6	50
1975	9,767	1.6	50
1976	9,671	- 1.5	48
1977	9,616	- 1.1	51
1978	9,751	0.9	49

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,118
1971	2,226
1972	2,670
1973	3,168
1974	3,664
1975	3,910
1976	4,141
1977	4,045
1978	5,104

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	5,016
REPUBLICAN	205
OTHER	44
TOTAL	5,265

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	3,160	3,030	130	4.1%
1971	3,270	3,100	170	5.2
1972	3,420	3,270	150	4.4
1973	3,460	3,330	130	3.8
1974	3,200	3,030	170	5.3
1975	3,570	3,270	300	8.4
1976	3,410	3,180	230	6.0
1977	3,830	3,570	260	6.8
1978	3,300	3,130	170	5.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	980	260	720
1971	990	230	760
1972	970	210	760
1973	940	220	720
1974	970	210	760
1975	1,070	230	840
1976	1,130	220	910
1977	1,070	190	880
1978	1,260	230	1,030

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	6
1966	NA	0	6
1967	NA	0	3
1968	NA	0	3
1969	NA	0	2
1970	NA	0	5
1971	NA	0	3
1972	2	0	4
1973	NA	0	4
1974	2	0	3
1975	NA	0	3
1976	3	0	2
1977	NA	0	2
1978	4	0	2
1979	NA	0	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 0	0	0
1965 THRU 1969	220	75	235	60
1970 THRU 1974	107	0	79	0
1975 THRU 1979	0	90	65	100

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	46,208	$ 8,404,695
1966	47,905	9,863,744
1967	50,183	10,282,654
1968	51,001	8,502,667
1969	49,240	10,533,212
1970	51,605	11,397,000
1971	49,808	10,868,000
1972	48,312	12,004,000
1973	49,911	16,188,000
1974	47,920	18,613,000
1975	48,639	19,508,000
1976	50,462	18,534,000
1977	50,673	15,083,000
1978	NA	21,759,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	644	122	104	NA
1966-67	683	121	103	NA
1967-68	657	127	100	22
1968-69	754	122	114	25
1969-70	782	123	115	25
1970-71	830	113	111	23
1971-72	875	112	114	24
1972-73	803	99	120	24
1973-74	636	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	601	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	593	241	208	16
1976-77	619	217	194	14
1977-78	646	203	207	12
1978-79	668	203	192	11

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	9	9	41	2
1969	8	6	22	4
1970	4	5	34	2
1971	16	3	46	1
1972	21	4	51	0
1973	17	3	39	NA
1974	19	6	50	0
1975	12	4	44	2
1976	14	3	39	0
1977	16	4	NA	3
1978	11	4	NA	2
1979	20	7	64	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	77.73
MUNICIPAL	3.18
TOTAL	80.91
SECONDARY	
RURAL	243.78
MUNICIPAL	1.58
TOTAL	245.36
PAVED	266.37
UNPAVED	59.90
TOTAL	326.27

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	3,923	151	85	4
1966	4,123	169	105	3
1967	4,276	173	88	7
1968	4,503	176	78	8
1969	4,511	205	88	10
1970	4,592	181	99	9
1971	4,812	244	132	8
1972	5,140	223	107	7
1973	5,394	232	174	5
1974	5,600	205	175	8
1975	5,898	209	160	5
1976	6,285	204	155	3
1977	6,526	226	140	2
1978	6,909	272	178	5
1979	7,036	230	140	4

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,229	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,247	NA	98	59
1967-68	3,138	181	126	65
1968-69	2,891	208	101	61
1969-70	2,822	300	103	43
1970-71	2,733	650	94	34
1971-72	2,585	443	111	36
1972-73	2,436	602	118	32
1973-74	2,462	460	129	30
1974-75	2,383	327	133	47
1975-76	2,328	471	153	37
1976-77	2,283	373	158	40
1977-78	2,230	494	158	56
1978-79	2,090	548	139	53
1979-80	1,973	480	137	38

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 6,760,312	$ 1,328,076	$ 483,981	$ 1,813,996	$ 15,922
1966-67	7,401,294	1,392,372	455,008	2,031,720	47,711
1967-68	7,765,802	1,428,657	454,141	2,062,789	23,620
1968-69	7,844,941	1,473,134	445,905	2,071,103	18,292
1969-70	8,300,149	1,683,587	426,636	2,180,497	33,615
1970-71	8,984,882	1,760,343	428,971	2,237,603	44,101
1971-72	9,604,791	1,945,845	434,811	2,179,895	68,442
1972-73	10,728,778	2,068,011	634,237	2,218,504	126,086
1973-74	13,255,984	2,851,695	822,285	2,228,444	205,260
1974-75	16,069,228	3,183,179	1,053,384	2,443,384	163,437
1975-76	17,085,615	3,575,079	1,077,755	2,817,731	112,729
1976-77	18,906,712	3,901,179	1,030,102	3,109,952	31,214
1977-78	19,551,569	3,958,619	2,297,191	3,531,613	40,769
1978-79	21,098,465	4,466,578	2,544,484	3,918,856	28,693

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 108,433.40
1966-67	120,652.90
1967-68	128,298.40
1968-69	129,387.90
1969-70	142,542.80
1970-71	154,576.00
1971-72	166,490.40
1972-73	178,879.10
1973-74	210,427.90
1974-75	247,219.10
1975-76	276,240.80
1976-77	301,890.40
1977-78	319,342.20
1978-79	349,939.00

Founded 1907

Lee

County Seat: Sanford
Elevation: 375 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Broadway, Sanford

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	162.0
WATER	1.3
TOTAL	163.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	111.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	37.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	8.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	26,561		
1970	30,467	0.0%	3785
1971	31,031	0.4	394
1972	31,818	1.7	259
1973	32,390	1.1	210
1974	33,001	1.2	208
1975	33,408	0.6	211
1976	33,495	- 0.4	207
1977	34,377	1.8	279
1978	35,134	1.3	311

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,023
1971	3,207
1972	3,628
1973	4,112
1974	4,469
1975	4,802
1976	5,526
1977	6,029
1978	6,625

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	12,903
REPUBLICAN	2,020
OTHER	254
TOTAL	15,177

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	14,180	13,200	980	6.9%
1971	13,850	12,980	870	6.3
1972	14,660	14,130	530	3.6
1973	15,420	14,920	500	3.2
1974	16,090	15,270	820	5.1
1975	16,150	14,190	1,960	12.1
1976	16,610	15,640	970	5.8
1977	17,610	16,540	1,070	6.1
1978	18,030	17,150	880	4.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	12,570	5,750	6,820
1971	12,420	5,410	7,010
1972	13,430	6,170	7,260
1973	14,380	6,530	7,850
1974	15,060	7,230	7,830
1975	13,770	5,960	7,810
1976	14,720	6,380	8,340
1977	16,350	7,450	8,900
1978	17,100	7,280	9,820

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	134	17
1966	NA	133	14
1967	NA	133	14
1968	NA	133	12
1969	NA	133	10
1970	NA	133	10
1971	NA	141	14
1972	16	141	17
1973	NA	130	16
1974	17	130	9
1975	NA	130	6
1976	20	130	11
1977	NA	130	12
1978	21	130	12
1979	NA	130	11

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 5,230	$ 5,248	940	1,336
1965 THRU 1969	11,925	5,691	900	668
1970 THRU 1974	35,124	19,847	1,465	605
1975 THRU 1979	63,180	29,127	1,223	2,642

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	28,704	$ 6,715,794
1966	29,719	7,894,943
1967	29,640	7,767,805
1968	28,750	6,803,591
1969	28,284	7,860,702
1970	28,559	7,827,000
1971	27,399	7,559,000
1972	27,380	8,000,000
1973	26,732	9,500,000
1974	25,290	10,418,000
1975	24,666	11,506,000
1976	24,286	11,489,000
1977	24,795	11,327,000
1978	NA	12,526,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	852	241	159	NA
1966-67	690	229	159	NA
1967-68	605	225	154	35
1968-69	552	221	165	33
1969-70	666	235	190	33
1970-71	786	221	204	39
1971-72	774	208	231	35
1972-73	580	174	247	26
1973-74	535	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	609	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	708	567	590	28
1976-77	766	519	585	24
1977-78	745	483	603	28
1978-79	774	476	590	23

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	72	39	126	22
1969	84	38	172	19
1970	69	37	264	30
1971	88	28	239	26
1972	73	41	207	23
1973	65	41	188	NA
1974	71	44	266	23
1975	61	50	277	20
1976	75	43	289	11
1977	95	31	NA	16
1978	95	45	NA	9
1979	104	44	322	10

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	63.72
MUNICIPAL	14.52
TOTAL	78.24
SECONDARY	
RURAL	359.33
MUNICIPAL	44.01
TOTAL	403.34
PAVED	422.56
UNPAVED	59.02
TOTAL	481.58

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	15,266	790	437	15
1966	16,557	807	478	13
1967	17,280	855	503	15
1968	17,967	848	450	14
1969	18,774	928	477	14
1970	19,188	891	442	14
1971	20,316	969	551	22
1972	22,043	949	570	6
1973	23,719	884	490	20
1974	24,554	895	468	11
1975	25,595	875	465	14
1976	27,574	1,045	515	15
1977	29,107	1,061	556	15
1978	30,461	1,082	532	10
1979	31,535	1,146	551	9

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

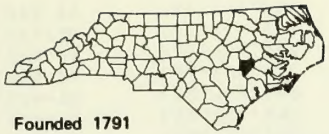
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall)	
			Public	Private
1965-66	7,733	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	7,825	NA	263	147
1967-68	7,905	779	268	152
1968-69	7,897	875	287	147
1969-70	7,847	1,075	306	151
1970-71	7,734	1,301	321	183
1971-72	7,777	1,546	348	221
1972-73	7,742	1,748	402	202
1973-74	7,806	1,456	388	184
1974-75	7,947	2,037	404	166
1975-76	7,897	2,137	442	165
1976-77	8,050	1,937	440	185
1977-78	7,950	2,082	442	179
1978-79	7,799	2,175	454	167
1979-80	7,935	2,574	422	165

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 60,425,123	$ 13,256,958	$ 9,986,486	$ 11,575,071	$ 6,246,835
1966-67	65,894,740	13,968,502	10,697,287	12,776,307	5,943,294
1967-68	65,691,694	14,557,808	11,615,479	13,377,878	6,501,406
1968-69	73,353,960	16,761,747	13,630,293	13,754,515	7,501,157
1969-70	75,874,094	18,620,033	14,877,490	14,015,711	7,819,978
1970-71	79,426,447	20,146,266	14,639,387	14,436,266	8,211,977
1971-72	94,224,415	22,710,045	16,877,037	15,823,193	10,914,351
1972-73	111,178,298	28,286,813	19,919,319	17,244,391	13,820,993
1973-74	131,011,893	36,646,726	24,061,899	18,712,283	15,823,993
1974-75	132,760,349	41,313,708	22,508,144	19,821,496	16,437,913
1975-76	163,406,488	50,916,835	27,849,858	23,000,112	20,005,067
1976-77	183,762,675	61,300,487	28,384,200	25,232,258	25,559,722
1977-78	225,145,935	85,583,876	31,452,766	27,529,048	31,643,354
1978-79	261,299,284	108,946,189	36,700,528	29,721,595	36,333,859

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,273,749.60
1966-67	1,361,298.10
1967-68	1,415,977.90
1968-69	1,608,658.70
1969-70	1,755,081.20
1970-71	1,839,601.20
1971-72	2,131,837.10
1972-73	2,490,155.20
1973-74	2,908,009.10
1974-75	2,875,485.20
1975-76	3,364,211.20
1976-77	3,885,672.40
1977-78	4,757,832.60
1978-79	5,484,852.50



Founded 1791

Lenoir

County Seat: Kinston
Elevation: 44 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Graingers, Grifton (Part), Kinston, La Grange, Pink Hill

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	247.0
WATER	3.3
TOTAL	250.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	124.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	102.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	8.8

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	55,276		
1970	55,204	- 1.2%	6698
1971	56,383	0.8	649
1972	57,178	0.6	464
1973	57,894	0.4	461
1974	58,417	0.1	452
1975	58,497	- 0.6	406
1976	59,085	0.4	370
1977	59,243	- 0.3	327
1978	59,084	- 0.8	344

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,897
1971	3,020
1972	3,300
1973	3,788
1974	4,385
1975	4,804
1976	5,326
1977	5,550
1978	6,331

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	18,734
REPUBLICAN	3,079
OTHER	362
TOTAL	22,175

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	23,980	22,890	1,090	4.5%
1971	24,400	23,120	1,280	5.2
1972	25,120	23,660	1,460	5.8
1973	25,960	24,530	1,430	5.5
1974	25,980	24,360	1,620	6.2
1975	27,950	26,010	1,940	6.9
1976	29,630	27,710	1,920	6.5
1977	29,910	27,700	2,210	7.4
1978	29,020	27,380	1,640	5.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	19,350	7,280	12,070
1971	19,860	7,480	12,380
1972	20,060	7,830	12,230
1973	21,220	8,210	13,010
1974	21,740	8,570	13,170
1975	23,030	8,670	14,360
1976	24,780	9,570	15,210
1977	25,270	9,270	16,000
1978	24,810	8,700	16,110

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	175	39
1966	NA	158	36
1967	NA	163	23
1968	NA	163	23
1969	NA	163	21
1970	NA	163	25
1971	NA	163	26
1972	23	163	22
1973	NA	163	21
1974	24	285	22
1975	NA	285	17
1976	25	285	17
1977	NA	285	10
1978	29	285	14
1979	NA	281	16

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 117	$ 12,653	32	752
1965 THRU 1969	2,925	12,750	952	374
1970 THRU 1974	20,601	84,854	1,463	1,233
1975 THRU 1979	16,323	25,022	999	960

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	98,387	$ 24,270,423
1966	99,408	28,612,779
1967	101,014	26,158,737
1968	100,441	25,141,620
1969	102,195	29,126,671
1970	101,334	32,578,000
1971	101,461	29,834,000
1972	100,436	33,292,000
1973	99,892	47,024,000
1974	97,672	56,029,000
1975	98,516	56,920,000
1976	99,846	60,445,000
1977	97,515	51,856,000
1978	NA	70,384,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	880	470	262	NA
1966-67	906	444	258	NA
1967-68	1,209	449	274	89
1968-69	1,356	456	298	89
1969-70	1,711	487	321	90
1970-71	2,187	500	344	80
1971-72	2,453	515	403	82
1972-73	2,274	467	420	74
1973-74	2,159	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,173	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,334	1,346	1,107	58
1976-77	2,688	1,235	1,051	59
1977-78	2,774	1,166	1,081	57
1978-79	2,821	1,140	1,100	60

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	150	35	293	24
1969	135	30	359	23
1970	166	37	247	15
1971	159	35	255	20
1972	114	40	200	22
1973	103	39	236	NA
1974	89	50	281	29
1975	124	47	281	16
1976	162	44	299	10
1977	97	24	NA	19
1978	80	47	NA	8
1979	117	45	396	10

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	105.18
MUNICIPAL	10.26
TOTAL	115.44
SECONDARY	
RURAL	602.42
MUNICIPAL	18.86
TOTAL	621.28
PAVED	545.64
UNPAVED	191.08
TOTAL	736.72

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	23,843	1,033	457	14
1966	25,174	1,137	536	15
1967	26,036	1,184	582	19
1968	27,425	1,308	550	25
1969	28,038	1,225	522	17
1970	29,156	1,292	574	10
1971	31,200	1,383	601	21
1972	33,157	1,263	634	22
1973	35,109	1,363	692	12
1974	36,400	1,391	631	24
1975	38,409	1,541	766	14
1976	40,744	1,526	813	12
1977	42,303	1,514	836	14
1978	43,711	1,618	980	17
1979	44,531	1,546	911	20

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	15,172	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	15,067	NA	545	264
1967-68	14,871	1,694	616	264
1968-69	14,701	1,810	638	224
1969-70	14,509	2,479	623	196
1970-71	13,661	2,704	645	182
1971-72	13,096	3,187	659	232
1972-73	12,816	3,196	735	207
1973-74	12,803	2,651	745	125
1974-75	12,624	2,444	809	164
1975-76	12,731	3,639	779	170
1976-77	12,817	2,404	785	160
1977-78	12,705	3,524	813	188
1978-79	12,521	3,414	827	180
1979-80	12,394	3,526	846	198

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 97,596,793	$ 18,669,505	$ 17,705,892	$ 18,898,357	$ 8,814,901
1966-67	104,442,773	20,051,136	20,907,588	19,845,910	8,997,596
1967-68	111,159,111	20,749,600	23,251,219	21,024,254	10,352,006
1968-69	123,546,800	22,442,612	25,466,036	22,621,830	12,226,190
1969-70	133,679,351	26,128,106	30,062,548	23,519,453	11,485,084
1970-71	144,434,209	29,427,599	32,502,273	23,132,828	13,697,874
1971-72	161,921,401	32,717,192	34,100,718	24,561,204	17,626,056
1972-73	177,767,175	35,992,325	36,109,145	26,131,217	20,911,828
1973-74	198,420,808	41,893,985	40,817,169	29,695,072	21,663,857
1974-75	211,153,705	48,268,649	45,123,895	33,804,500	20,048,030
1975-76	249,427,808	54,452,020	52,221,461	42,361,389	23,516,011
1976-77	277,077,117	58,678,297	57,647,222	47,788,008	30,404,516
1977-78	292,567,411	63,210,500	63,921,569	50,260,438	33,678,323
1978-79	330,576,832	70,969,453	74,533,244	55,290,325	36,614,463

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,104,968.70
1966-67	2,304,779.90
1967-68	2,397,050.00
1968-69	2,673,714.20
1969-70	2,987,499.60
1970-71	3,250,917.40
1971-72	3,700,798.70
1972-73	4,058,959.40
1973-74	4,600,518.40
1974-75	4,904,383.80
1975-76	5,486,771.30
1976-77	5,938,958.00
1977-78	6,395,204.10
1978-79	7,072,851.50

Founded 1779

Lincoln

County Seat: Lincolnton
Elevation: 860 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: High Shoals (Part), Lincolnton, Maiden (Part)

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	191.5
WATER	6.5
TOTAL	198.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	91.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	82.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	9.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	28,814		
1970	32,682	0.2%	3391
1971	33,638	1.3	416
1972	34,621	1.9	356
1973	36,054	3.3	287
1974	36,615	0.8	255
1975	37,132	0.8	235
1976	37,236	- 0.3	205
1977	37,769	0.8	228
1978	38,805	2.0	265

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,060
1971	3,322
1972	3,695
1973	4,175
1974	4,413
1975	4,654
1976	5,227
1977	5,774
1978	6,516

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	15,439
REPUBLICAN	6,350
OTHER	848
TOTAL	22,637

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	15,590	14,930	660	4.2%
1971	15,870	15,150	720	4.5
1972	16,310	15,770	540	3.3
1973	17,060	16,470	590	3.5
1974	16,910	15,840	1,070	6.3
1975	18,010	15,510	2,500	13.9
1976	17,950	16,560	1,390	7.7
1977	18,430	17,230	1,200	6.5
1978	19,420	18,290	1,130	5.8

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	10,050	6,380	3,670
1971	10,280	6,510	3,770
1972	10,570	6,620	3,950
1973	11,140	7,050	4,090
1974	10,920	6,690	4,230
1975	10,630	6,140	4,490
1976	11,390	6,610	4,780
1977	11,920	6,850	5,070
1978	12,790	7,010	5,780

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	102	18
1966	NA	120	22
1967	NA	120	23
1968	NA	120	24
1969	NA	120	15
1970	NA	190	13
1971	NA	190	9
1972	6	190	15
1973	NA	190	15
1974	6	189	12
1975	NA	189	8
1976	15	189	15
1977	NA	189	13
1978	15	189	8
1979	NA	190	11

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,880	$ 6,816	615	672
1965 THRU 1969	2,386	13,779	712	1,177
1970 THRU 1974	8,026	5,963	587	239
1975 THRU 1979	153,505	11,843	1,500	384

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	65,628	$ 7,680,312
1966	66,001	7,822,771
1967	63,309	7,243,876
1968	62,906	7,231,437
1969	61,185	9,858,689
1970	61,579	8,272,000
1971	58,540	7,741,000
1972	56,405	8,850,000
1973	57,195	12,605,000
1974	49,272	12,097,000
1975	48,005	12,742,000
1976	57,645	14,194,000
1977	56,206	14,326,000
1978	NA	18,235,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	433	263	104	NA
1966-67	338	238	104	NA
1967-68	338	226	93	21
1968-69	254	202	95	20
1969-70	262	192	104	21
1970-71	326	180	126	17
1971-72	275	187	155	19
1972-73	288	165	152	15
1973-74	245	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	372	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	524	374	300	10
1976-77	568	337	284	11
1977-78	565	323	294	8
1978-79	589	314	304	9

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	42	17	96	20
1969	66	18	87	11
1970	86	20	68	13
1971	57	27	62	4
1972	65	16	76	2
1973	59	16	77	NA
1974	54	28	121	3
1975	59	36	132	2
1976	67	35	144	1
1977	54	25	NA	1
1978	50	35	NA	2
1979	52	25	121	2

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	102.01
MUNICIPAL	2.09
TOTAL	104.10
SECONDARY	
RURAL	575.36
MUNICIPAL	5.33
TOTAL	580.69
PAVED	523.90
UNPAVED	160.89
TOTAL	684.79

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	15,088	519	347	17
1966	16,113	619	336	17
1967	16,815	619	312	9
1968	18,029	622	276	15
1969	18,685	728	377	17
1970	19,448	761	407	18
1971	20,854	770	310	15
1972	22,599	743	338	15
1973	24,664	699	407	15
1974	25,681	639	352	15
1975	26,599	689	374	12
1976	28,704	826	400	12
1977	30,088	853	482	15
1978	31,870	1,000	533	14
1979	33,294	1,008	591	19

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	7,603	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	7,720	NA	221	122
1967-68	7,751	372	243	132
1968-69	7,793	463	254	120
1969-70	7,831	854	274	101
1970-71	7,920	1,060	302	125
1971-72	8,160	1,037	278	109
1972-73	8,359	1,523	265	107
1973-74	8,537	1,065	265	110
1974-75	8,711	1,422	285	108
1975-76	8,755	1,394	303	136
1976-77	9,109	1,019	314	158
1977-78	9,074	1,136	342	150
1978-79	9,264	1,007	330	159
1979-80	9,254	1,114	338	170

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 38,166,604	$ 9,357,141	$ 4,425,538	$ 8,145,167	$ 3,245,149
1966-67	39,764,196	10,695,403	4,557,745	8,164,200	3,450,456
1967-68	43,549,669	11,467,949	5,240,576	8,743,797	4,421,102
1968-69	51,151,727	12,843,469	5,926,114	10,813,380	5,010,981
1969-70	55,056,365	14,447,088	6,551,434	11,731,364	4,943,807
1970-71	60,424,794	15,938,328	7,855,377	11,857,123	5,912,282
1971-72	69,729,868	18,394,409	8,596,201	12,948,652	7,291,777
1972-73	80,540,651	20,592,380	9,828,065	14,333,336	9,370,550
1973-74	87,190,022	23,895,373	10,675,638	14,844,021	10,499,495
1974-75	84,439,606	26,237,581	11,643,652	14,747,419	7,519,650
1975-76	96,034,774	28,564,073	12,971,278	16,785,884	9,212,768
1976-77	106,882,308	30,683,741	14,377,143	17,918,835	10,822,715
1977-78	125,106,761	35,490,487	16,589,849	20,495,007	13,131,273
1978-79	140,988,431	39,921,401	18,113,886	23,331,189	16,500,289

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 791,927.50
1966-67	852,195.60
1967-68	923,235.80
1968-69	1,088,025.80
1969-70	1,200,274.10
1970-71	1,312,967.80
1971-72	1,525,150.90
1972-73	1,746,499.80
1973-74	1,880,231.90
1974-75	1,788,225.50
1975-76	2,021,756.40
1976-77	2,248,071.30
1977-78	2,611,604.10
1978-79	2,939,397.10

Founded 1842

McDowell

County Seat: Marion
Elevation: 1,437 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Marion, Old Fort

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	282.7
WATER	3.7
TOTAL	286.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	177.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	23.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	8.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	26,742		
1970	30,648	0.0%	887
1971	30,875	- 0.4	384
1972	31,274	0.4	273
1973	32,190	2.1	254
1974	32,640	0.6	272
1975	33,416	1.6	261
1976	33,510	- 0.3	200
1977	33,617	- 0.3	219
1978	34,084	0.7	235

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,555
1971	2,805
1972	3,167
1973	3,630
1974	4,010
1975	4,366
1976	4,911
1977	5,469
1978	5,936

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	11,054
REPUBLICAN	3,798
OTHER	707
TOTAL	15,559

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	13,130	12,560	570	4.3%
1971	13,250	12,730	520	3.9
1972	13,890	13,340	550	4.0
1973	15,440	14,980	460	3.0
1974	16,170	15,600	570	3.5
1975	17,330	15,670	1,660	9.6
1976	17,990	16,990	1,000	5.6
1977	18,690	17,870	820	4.4
1978	18,680	17,900	780	4.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	10,140	7,020	3,120
1971	10,310	7,060	3,250
1972	10,690	7,530	3,160
1973	12,120	8,660	3,460
1974	12,850	9,190	3,660
1975	12,790	9,120	3,670
1976	13,930	9,940	3,990
1977	14,690	10,440	4,250
1978	14,790	10,190	4,600

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	60	13
1966	NA	50	17
1967	NA	50	11
1968	NA	50	9
1969	NA	50	15
1970	NA	54	12
1971	NA	54	10
1972	3	54	7
1973	NA	54	10
1974	9	54	7
1975	NA	54	14
1976	9	52	8
1977	NA	64	5
1978	14	64	12
1979	NA	67	4

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,075	$ 1,329	540	499
1965 THRU 1969	5,045	3,837	595	175
1970 THRU 1974	15,515	7,470	755	484
1975 THRU 1979	35,825	41,252	32	2,702

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	16,681	$ 1,337,176
1966	16,116	1,542,308
1967	14,726	1,817,570
1968	14,344	1,991,196
1969	12,602	2,384,244
1970	11,527	1,512,000
1971	10,469	1,655,000
1972	9,859	1,989,000
1973	8,841	2,260,000
1974	8,828	2,259,000
1975	9,497	2,505,000
1976	12,756	2,695,000
1977	13,360	2,705,000
1978	NA	3,370,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	262	268	93	NA
1966-67	234	253	95	NA
1967-68	257	239	97	17
1968-69	277	244	106	21
1969-70	316	243	115	17
1970-71	410	244	127	15
1971-72	454	238	142	16
1972-73	378	205	140	15
1973-74	324	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	423	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	548	573	350	15
1976-77	568	516	366	19
1977-78	615	515	373	20
1978-79	587	483	412	20

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	29	4	102	3
1969	39	6	129	9
1970	29	7	140	2
1971	40	7	131	0
1972	56	9	117	5
1973	30	17	108	NA
1974	40	17	145	14
1975	53	30	171	14
1976	41	26	160	4
1977	45	23	NA	18
1978	35	15	NA	11
1979	41	14	136	11

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	130.34
MUNICIPAL	3.49
TOTAL	133.83
SECONDARY	
RURAL	442.59
MUNICIPAL	6.69
TOTAL	449.28
PAVED	414.43
UNPAVED	168.68
TOTAL	583.11

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	11,876	521	284	10
1966	12,873	600	329	16
1967	13,530	545	268	7
1968	14,274	655	283	10
1969	14,805	749	321	12
1970	15,243	676	304	8
1971	16,164	789	332	9
1972	17,621	808	372	15
1973	19,009	726	363	24
1974	19,775	772	450	14
1975	20,395	825	445	12
1976	22,366	923	428	22
1977	23,177	977	423	13
1978	24,446	984	452	13
1979	24,948	906	468	12

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	7,115	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	6,953	NA	205	88
1967-68	6,910	431	210	81
1968-69	6,987	434	214	80
1969-70	6,973	669	226	69
1970-71	6,851	806	256	58
1971-72	6,855	1,256	204	63
1972-73	6,770	1,113	247	53
1973-74	6,854	893	268	43
1974-75	7,068	812	284	50
1975-76	7,286	1,638	436	91
1976-77	7,554	1,355	317	78
1977-78	7,558	1,375	349	87
1978-79	7,541	1,402	293	102
1979-80	3,766	1,157	300	119

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 31,701,310	$ 10,170,849	$ 4,559,657	$ 6,511,220	$ 2,775,588
1966-67	33,320,362	10,889,500	5,009,340	6,972,917	2,406,248
1967-68	35,602,537	11,471,483	5,355,508	7,625,439	2,617,721
1968-69	38,972,892	12,537,575	5,733,935	8,074,313	2,644,954
1969-70	42,228,766	13,973,231	6,172,612	8,927,789	2,796,824
1970-71	46,115,019	14,833,558	6,589,791	9,716,550	3,845,166
1971-72	54,249,460	16,332,316	7,757,828	11,031,769	4,925,364
1972-73	62,777,200	18,775,261	9,174,931	12,909,258	5,512,747
1973-74	68,217,872	21,434,337	9,688,153	14,149,625	5,796,741
1974-75	71,131,357	23,869,462	9,660,755	16,492,413	5,138,434
1975-76	80,826,163	25,515,453	11,241,784	17,863,517	6,398,217
1976-77	87,028,158	26,881,293	12,852,428	19,233,617	6,781,244
1977-78	100,759,291	30,576,720	15,878,799	21,017,846	8,393,999
1978-79	110,125,281	34,699,001	16,602,703	23,152,730	8,953,445

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 720,222.50
1966-67	753,335.90
1967-68	803,570.10
1968-69	877,106.40
1969-70	969,840.10
1970-71	1,040,528.40
1971-72	1,210,255.40
1972-73	1,393,724.40
1973-74	1,500,064.80
1974-75	1,536,246.80
1975-76	1,724,064.70
1976-77	1,881,084.70
1977-78	2,147,269.30
1978-79	2,370,024.60

Founded 1828

Macon

County Seat: Franklin
Elevation: 2,113 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Franklin, Highlands (Part)

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	330.4
WATER	2.3
TOTAL	332.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	132.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	37.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	14,935		
1970	15,788	- 1.4%	1055
1971	16,371	2.5	88
1972	16,816	2.5	40
1973	17,073	1.3	46
1974	17,454	2.1	31
1975	18,020	3.2	3
1976	18,105	0.5	- 11
1977	18,828	3.9	9
1978	19,285	2.2	41

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,399
1971	2,629
1972	2,930
1973	3,404
1974	3,576
1975	3,829
1976	4,306
1977	4,659
1978	5,131

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	6,549
REPUBLICAN	3,662
OTHER	436
TOTAL	10,647

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	6,280	5,880	400	6.4%
1971	6,250	5,720	530	8.5
1972	6,560	6,110	450	6.9
1973	6,660	6,480	180	2.7
1974	6,430	6,120	310	4.8
1975	6,530	5,850	680	10.4
1976	6,720	6,320	400	6.0
1977	7,280	6,860	420	5.8
1978	7,620	7,290	330	4.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	3,630	1,120	2,510
1971	3,550	1,000	2,550
1972	3,750	990	2,760
1973	4,050	1,050	3,000
1974	3,920	920	3,000
1975	3,690	620	3,070
1976	4,020	720	3,300
1977	4,450	820	3,630
1978	4,790	940	3,850

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	88	8
1966	NA	57	12
1967	NA	76	3
1968	NA	64	4
1969	NA	64	5
1970	NA	64	3
1971	NA	67	4
1972	8	77	0
1973	NA	77	8
1974	4	77	2
1975	NA	77	4
1976	8	77	3
1977	NA	90	5
1978	11	90	2
1979	NA	87	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 215	$ 0	80	0
1965 THRU 1969	1,370	0	220	0
1970 THRU 1974	850	230	250	50
1975 THRU 1979	7,525	197	626	55

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	16,401	$ 3,525,395
1966	15,263	3,742,267
1967	14,888	4,031,960
1968	14,602	4,049,545
1969	13,308	5,021,843
1970	12,440	3,941,000
1971	12,472	3,943,000
1972	12,490	4,778,000
1973	12,288	5,805,000
1974	9,496	5,185,000
1975	8,346	4,924,000
1976	8,150	6,078,000
1977	10,500	6,255,000
1978	NA	7,419,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	148	190	41	NA
1966-67	123	158	42	NA
1967-68	89	135	45	20
1968-69	99	124	43	17
1969-70	72	118	46	15
1970-71	62	115	45	14
1971-72	60	110	41	12
1972-73	66	102	45	12
1973-74	49	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	60	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	43	497	228	13
1976-77	35	462	252	13
1977-78	48	462	262	16
1978-79	66	453	272	12

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	16	1	34	3
1969	2	1	32	6
1970	10	2	45	2
1971	11	1	32	3
1972	18	0	36	1
1973	24	6	47	NA
1974	25	7	60	2
1975	19	10	52	1
1976	8	5	57	3
1977	10	4	NA	2
1978	10	1	NA	0
1979	10	2	102	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	88.54
MUNICIPAL	8.14
TOTAL	96.68
SECONDARY	
RURAL	560.63
MUNICIPAL	10.79
TOTAL	571.42
PAVED	380.81
UNPAVED	287.29
TOTAL	668.10

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	6,258	192	79	4
1966	6,736	192	90	3
1967	7,098	192	100	7
1968	7,468	204	78	2
1969	7,801	195	94	6
1970	8,097	249	100	5
1971	8,758	242	94	4
1972	9,633	240	82	4
1973	10,489	270	133	3
1974	11,115	267	145	4
1975	11,643	264	150	9
1976	12,736	298	153	3
1977	13,575	298	195	4
1978	14,734	237	167	8
1979	15,224	254	199	5

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,541	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,429	NA	139	29
1967-68	3,415	325	148	30
1968-69	3,381	365	145	34
1969-70	3,385	554	177	30
1970-71	3,432	657	194	27
1971-72	3,480	432	184	40
1972-73	3,455	811	187	39
1973-74	3,464	575	193	32
1974-75	3,519	818	207	34
1975-76	3,558	773	291	56
1976-77	3,721	832	231	40
1977-78	3,746	716	188	50
1978-79	3,813	758	185	58
1979-80	3,065	805	194	52

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 21,496,439	$ 6,327,749	$ 4,423,774	$ 4,424,189	$ 1,479,099
1966-67	22,761,970	6,731,002	4,579,366	4,754,439	1,392,337
1967-68	24,247,382	7,166,948	4,547,248	5,252,312	1,645,852
1968-69	26,670,254	7,991,274	4,909,080	5,759,982	1,888,145
1969-70	28,611,197	8,527,432	5,107,769	6,199,040	2,231,112
1970-71	31,688,497	9,512,885	5,999,440	6,231,767	3,046,637
1971-72	36,533,824	10,847,229	6,453,075	6,670,134	4,264,788
1972-73	42,045,703	12,590,621	6,810,975	7,111,513	5,663,009
1973-74	47,267,617	14,833,342	7,834,181	7,600,751	6,496,799
1974-75	49,646,598	15,976,784	9,026,301	7,893,106	6,421,345
1975-76	58,625,344	17,745,867	11,442,082	8,423,645	8,470,947
1976-77	68,217,303	19,408,339	12,556,983	8,376,201	11,569,108
1977-78	76,846,252	22,924,177	13,765,212	9,205,026	12,973,757
1978-79	87,398,399	23,362,760	17,978,633	10,124,188	15,531,719

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 474,840.60
1966-67	504,212.90
1967-68	543,198.30
1968-69	610,093.00
1969-70	672,779.40
1970-71	757,510.30
1971-72	879,664.80
1972-73	1,023,588.50
1973-74	1,161,190.90
1974-75	1,226,259.20
1975-76	1,426,666.60
1976-77	1,602,661.30
1977-78	1,825,917.20
1978-79	2,153,554.10

Founded 1851

Madison

County Seat: Marshall
Elevation: 1,650 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Hot Springs, Mars Hill, Marshall

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	289.6
WATER	2.2
TOTAL	291.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	171.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	64.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	5.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	17,217		
1970	16,003	- 2.1%	2984
1971	16,097	0.2	63
1972	15,907	- 1.5	45
1973	16,180	1.5	29
1974	16,469	1.5	39
1975	16,966	2.9	26
1976	16,917	- 0.4	13
1977	17,041	0.6	30
1978	17,237	1.0	28

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$1,985
1971	2,087
1972	2,334
1973	2,713
1974	2,964
1975	3,267
1976	3,571
1977	3,951
1978	4,378

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	6,607
REPUBLICAN	3,019
OTHER	363
TOTAL	9,989

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	6,920	6,540	380	5.5%
1971	7,010	6,550	460	6.6
1972	7,430	7,050	380	5.1
1973	7,790	7,470	320	4.1
1974	7,680	7,300	380	4.9
1975	7,710	7,000	710	9.2
1976	7,660	7,270	390	5.1
1977	7,980	7,600	380	4.8
1978	8,150	7,920	230	2.8

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	1,810	380	1,430
1971	1,910	250	1,660
1972	1,910	260	1,650
1973	2,220	470	1,750
1974	2,410	810	1,600
1975	2,240	560	1,680
1976	2,400	560	1,840
1977	2,510	750	1,760
1978	2,890	850	2,040

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	5
1966	NA	0	2
1967	NA	0	7
1968	NA	0	9
1969	NA	0	5
1970	NA	0	4
1971	NA	0	9
1972	2	0	6
1973	NA	0	6
1974	8	0	1
1975	NA	0	4
1976	7	0	2
1977	NA	0	5
1978	9	0	4
1979	NA	0	0

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 459	$ 605	329	275
1965 THRU 1969	206	2,500	110	50
1970 THRU 1974	7,000	800	755	225
1975 THRU 1979	1,125	703	395	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	32,764	$ 5,869,173
1966	33,170	7,237,350
1967	32,685	7,177,560
1968	31,784	7,942,270
1969	29,339	8,456,842
1970	29,837	7,973,000
1971	29,071	6,721,000
1972	28,945	6,374,000
1973	24,858	8,341,000
1974	20,401	8,459,000
1975	18,512	9,463,000
1976	18,031	8,850,000
1977	19,706	9,845,000
1978	NA	10,850,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,119	364	167	NA
1966-67	945	324	178	NA
1967-68	891	302	184	28
1968-69	946	299	194	31
1969-70	923	291	205	34
1970-71	943	274	217	33
1971-72	900	274	228	31
1972-73	733	253	221	31
1973-74	609	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	568	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	609	583	419	26
1976-77	586	503	407	24
1977-78	486	489	408	22
1978-79	400	502	428	22

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	4	2	22	4
1969	5	3	13	3
1970	7	2	17	2
1971	3	1	23	17
1972	6	0	26	1
1973	4	0	34	NA
1974	5	2	35	4
1975	16	1	37	1
1976	3	3	39	2
1977	11	4	NA	3
1978	5	7	NA	2
1979	8	4	50	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	114.14
MUNICIPAL	7.44
TOTAL	121.58
SECONDARY	
RURAL	507.05
MUNICIPAL	14.81
TOTAL	521.86
PAVED	323.40
UNPAVED	320.04
TOTAL	643.44

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	6,191	224	193	3
1966	6,721	225	88	4
1967	7,043	244	89	4
1968	7,214	278	127	6
1969	7,330	237	84	3
1970	7,441	237	59	4
1971	7,747	232	90	13
1972	8,231	223	141	5
1973	8,813	240	129	3
1974	9,157	227	127	5
1975	9,487	240	111	4
1976	10,396	269	211	5
1977	10,760	230	137	3
1978	11,408	288	154	8
1979	11,770	237	149	4

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

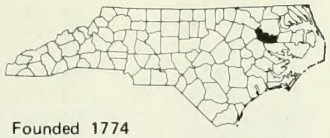
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,508	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,375	NA	59	117
1967-68	3,294	118	70	126
1968-69	3,156	110	90	126
1969-70	3,112	85	81	138
1970-71	3,109	140	63	147
1971-72	3,023	60	68	169
1972-73	2,974	83	57	190
1973-74	3,097	133	71	162
1974-75	3,027	113	68	121
1975-76	3,072	137	212	21
1976-77	3,096	234	71	194
1977-78	3,104	272	62	194
1978-79	3,080	229	60	224
1979-80	6,001	260	65	231

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 9,506,980	$ 2,498,761	$ 1,909,279	$ 2,657,530	$ 327,687
1966-67	9,571,949	2,698,213	1,897,048	2,599,284	375,087
1967-68	9,935,344	2,732,028	1,938,636	2,905,100	347,957
1968-69	10,632,380	2,973,734	1,789,351	3,131,179	354,785
1969-70	10,975,880	3,051,096	2,185,788	3,078,041	348,252
1970-71	11,351,555	3,101,193	2,013,361	3,299,128	390,360
1971-72	12,275,280	3,303,430	2,135,182	3,495,400	485,480
1972-73	14,934,762	4,087,374	2,626,184	4,193,546	578,669
1973-74	18,525,602	5,535,830	2,961,556	4,966,945	800,718
1974-75	19,623,177	6,555,948	2,902,850	5,998,009	771,338
1975-76	22,254,528	7,141,683	3,298,619	6,794,162	780,707
1976-77	24,074,475	7,400,420	3,699,212	7,508,817	684,960
1977-78	24,891,508	7,631,540	4,116,963	7,341,382	870,772
1978-79	28,172,750	8,579,818	4,525,403	7,875,180	1,076,304

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 195,970.70
1966-67	198,507.70
1967-68	203,810.30
1968-69	221,819.50
1969-70	240,087.40
1970-71	249,456.70
1971-72	266,176.70
1972-73	334,078.30
1973-74	417,430.60
1974-75	435,045.40
1975-76	483,418.30
1976-77	529,654.50
1977-78	554,390.10
1978-79	628,566.00



Founded 1774

Martin

County Seat: Williamston
Elevation: 60 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Bear Grass, Everetts, Gold Point, Hamilton, Hassell, Jamesville, Oak City, Parmele, Robersonville, Williamston

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	307.4
WATER	5.2
TOTAL	312.6
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	202.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	79.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	8.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	27,139		
1970	24,730	0.3%	3136
1971	24,495	- 1.6	258
1972	24,389	- 1.1	170
1973	24,648	0.4	159
1974	24,793	- 0.1	159
1975	25,076	0.6	142
1976	25,116	- 0.4	128
1977	25,403	0.6	140
1978	25,482	- 0.2	128

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,718
1971	2,702
1972	3,186
1973	3,668
1974	4,140
1975	4,603
1976	5,122
1977	5,227
1978	6,014

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	10,278
REPUBLICAN	632
OTHER	102
TOTAL	11,012

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	9,940	9,170	770	7.7%
1971	10,050	9,270	780	7.8
1972	10,620	9,940	680	6.4
1973	10,430	10,050	380	3.6
1974	11,650	10,860	790	6.8
1975	11,880	10,700	1,180	9.9
1976	11,960	10,840	1,120	9.4
1977	11,940	10,820	1,120	9.4
1978	11,750	11,080	670	5.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	7,170	3,550	3,620
1971	7,620	3,860	3,760
1972	8,460	4,310	4,150
1973	8,700	4,910	3,790
1974	9,460	5,240	4,220
1975	8,920	4,620	4,300
1976	9,100	4,530	4,570
1977	9,370	4,480	4,890
1978	9,450	4,450	5,000

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	52	17
1966	NA	60	12
1967	NA	60	14
1968	NA	60	12
1969	NA	52	17
1970	NA	52	11
1971	NA	52	11
1972	2	52	17
1973	NA	63	4
1974	8	63	8
1975	NA	63	8
1976	9	63	3
1977	NA	63	15
1978	12	63	6
1979	NA	62	10

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 5,384	$ 65	710	179
1965 THRU 1969	4,986	25,250	658	265
1970 THRU 1974	4,700	134,843	367	935
1975 THRU 1979	10,153	86,972	257	63

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	75,032	$ 21,347,018
1966	76,295	22,196,745
1967	77,238	21,452,970
1968	76,424	21,439,657
1969	76,763	24,085,250
1970	77,139	24,845,000
1971	77,773	25,423,000
1972	77,150	27,968,000
1973	77,469	35,850,000
1974	77,955	38,981,000
1975	78,932	42,914,000
1976	80,118	45,189,000
1977	81,968	40,971,000
1978	NA	48,337,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	436	265	132	NA
1966-67	484	250	136	NA
1967-68	474	234	125	26
1968-69	482	221	124	28
1969-70	554	216	119	30
1970-71	520	204	105	31
1971-72	517	183	102	33
1972-73	507	141	106	32
1973-74	575	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	631	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	550	659	469	33
1976-77	609	578	495	32
1977-78	674	562	530	33
1978-79	742	546	541	34

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	82	31	95	7
1969	102	31	78	15
1970	93	32	67	13
1971	69	28	91	7
1972	76	18	91	15
1973	61	14	113	NA
1974	64	16	161	5
1975	73	21	201	4
1976	68	20	217	7
1977	71	23	NA	2
1978	43	26	NA	6
1979	53	23	199	10

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	118.71
MUNICIPAL	17.27
TOTAL	135.98
SECONDARY	
RURAL	391.12
MUNICIPAL	13.87
TOTAL	404.99
PAVED	398.36
UNPAVED	142.61
TOTAL	540.97

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	9,903	405	264	12
1966	10,293	459	302	10
1967	10,655	448	261	14
1968	11,002	442	261	9
1969	11,314	504	312	15
1970	11,570	525	271	12
1971	12,242	510	261	11
1972	12,844	480	293	10
1973	13,698	484	316	23
1974	14,421	517	321	15
1975	15,206	548	420	2
1976	16,283	600	348	5
1977	16,839	580	352	4
1978	17,597	600	350	7
1979	17,797	615	367	12

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	7,772	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	7,794	NA	312	91
1967-68	7,484	371	310	125
1968-69	7,360	600	305	111
1969-70	7,170	821	263	122
1970-71	6,832	981	347	120
1971-72	6,438	1,258	424	144
1972-73	6,310	1,157	394	120
1973-74	6,542	996	389	98
1974-75	6,460	970	418	124
1975-76	6,421	1,133	70	183
1976-77	6,453	997	396	79
1977-78	6,373	1,009	358	106
1978-79	6,043	1,376	397	102
1979-80	7,656	1,580	357	93

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 31,564,111	$ 7,540,747	$ 5,735,105	$ 6,317,500	$ 1,127,664
1966-67	33,369,500	8,224,366	5,954,953	6,611,440	784,010
1967-68	35,088,746	8,665,793	6,400,204	7,004,922	892,928
1968-69	37,018,003	9,037,009	7,186,642	7,504,214	983,934
1969-70	40,686,557	10,154,032	7,789,573	8,462,685	987,144
1970-71	43,966,689	10,700,904	8,832,183	9,160,454	1,126,028
1971-72	47,436,858	11,021,490	9,165,350	9,937,755	1,211,322
1972-73	52,114,413	12,516,239	10,023,816	10,126,046	1,222,264
1973-74	62,439,570	16,018,988	12,444,637	10,745,468	1,510,573
1974-75	73,026,632	19,393,005	15,766,584	12,428,533	1,520,445
1975-76	82,898,588	22,276,353	19,380,047	13,244,166	1,544,731
1976-77	93,249,272	23,974,784	21,934,389	16,159,689	1,492,476
1977-78	93,358,966	25,978,488	19,779,840	16,982,276	1,576,162
1978-79	97,633,444	28,422,926	19,889,676	17,883,482	1,671,084

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 650,066.30
1966-67	905,251.30
1967-68	930,961.40
1968-69	969,945.30
1969-70	1,155,470.10
1970-71	1,209,212.10
1971-72	1,221,646.60
1972-73	1,372,747.30
1973-74	1,703,469.30
1974-75	2,262,083.00
1975-76	2,415,021.90
1976-77	2,425,824.70
1977-78	3,093,214.00
1978-79	2,707,939.10

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Mecklenburg

County Seat: Charlotte
Elevation: 795 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Charlotte, Cornelius, Davison (Part), Huntersville, Matthews, Mint Hill, Pineville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	333.8
WATER	16.6
TOTAL	350.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	156.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	85.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	76.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	272,111		
1970	354,656	1.3%	43920
1971	357,012	- 0.7	5600
1972	366,290	1.5	3796
1973	370,232	0.2	3096
1974	373,497	0.1	2860
1975	373,641	- 0.7	2681
1976	374,519	- 0.4	2525
1977	377,255	0.0	2639
1978	381,762	0.5	2683

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$4,231
1971	4,598
1972	5,028
1973	5,524
1974	5,958
1975	6,427
1976	7,048
1977	7,664
1978	8,499

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	126,779
REPUBLICAN	51,141
OTHER	11,458
TOTAL	189,378

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	166,130	161,270	4,860	2.9%
1971	169,600	163,870	5,730	3.4
1972	177,440	172,570	4,870	2.7
1973	181,890	177,320	4,570	2.5
1974	190,520	185,030	5,490	2.9
1975	190,680	177,020	13,660	7.2
1976	193,420	182,540	10,880	5.6
1977	200,580	191,410	9,170	4.6
1978	205,410	198,930	6,480	3.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	168,760	35,940	132,820
1971	172,330	36,220	136,110
1972	181,580	36,400	145,180
1973	191,290	37,790	153,500
1974	199,260	37,950	161,310
1975	194,590	35,270	159,320
1976	199,990	36,400	163,590
1977	208,290	38,210	170,080
1978	222,240	40,350	181,890

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	1,723	179
1966	NA	1,726	144
1967	NA	1,716	149
1968	NA	1,796	148
1969	NA	1,839	166
1970	NA	1,936	156
1971	NA	1,937	151
1972	193	1,913	115
1973	NA	1,895	110
1974	201	2,165	100
1975	NA	2,293	95
1976	203	2,576	92
1977	NA	2,576	84
1978	238	2,599	108
1979	NA	2,618	93

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 23,256	$ 44,077	4,649	2,533
1965 THRU 1969	131,399	75,177	4,867	2,113
1970 THRU 1974	28,797	136,821	1,315	1,744
1975 THRU 1979	203,244	141,497	4,788	2,393

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	65,596	$ 5,545,000
1966	64,356	5,623,916
1967	62,631	6,074,269
1968	58,554	5,999,549
1969	49,347	6,948,999
1970	47,615	6,511,000
1971	44,910	6,122,000
1972	43,404	5,814,000
1973	44,916	6,812,000
1974	NA	7,347,000
1975	40,260	6,944,000
1976	36,788	7,050,000
1977	30,452	7,545,000
1978	NA	12,554,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	4,850	2,047	945	NA
1966-67	5,012	1,986	944	NA
1967-68	5,147	1,986	949	251
1968-69	5,938	1,983	1,039	260
1969-70	7,965	2,021	1,241	262
1970-71	11,108	1,956	1,481	260
1971-72	13,506	1,871	1,649	247
1972-73	13,100	1,605	1,738	218
1973-74	13,056	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	16,315	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	17,830	2,906	3,190	197
1976-77	18,252	2,693	3,214	181
1977-78	18,368	2,553	3,196	174
1978-79	17,860	2,403	3,200	159

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	1,135	111	1,221	238
1969	798	134	1,597	190
1970	760	180	1,528	260
1971	777	187	1,721	165
1972	657	237	1,685	122
1973	461	221	1,794	NA
1974	507	269	2,013	77
1975	815	309	2,451	58
1976	844	299	2,521	46
1977	859	292	NA	66
1978	618	396	NA	45
1979	618	359	2,482	44

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	154.59
MUNICIPAL	105.07
TOTAL	259.66
SECONDARY	
RURAL	803.10
MUNICIPAL	108.06
TOTAL	911.16
PAVED	1,067.68
UNPAVED	103.14
TOTAL	1,170.82

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	158,948	7,507	4,430	65
1966	171,930	8,299	4,530	62
1967	182,781	8,736	4,826	64
1968	191,165	10,223	5,356	79
1969	203,369	11,093	5,494	82
1970	214,917	11,892	5,569	85
1971	228,093	12,988	5,714	95
1972	245,061	12,413	5,681	82
1973	263,497	12,044	6,361	66
1974	271,811	11,102	6,175	69
1975	279,823	11,221	6,811	84
1976	286,663	12,278	7,420	70
1977	302,513	12,921	8,152	56
1978	317,699	14,489	9,105	82
1979	329,723	14,766	9,130	79

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	77,048	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	78,991	NA	3,234	1,476
1967-68	81,974	4,780	3,517	1,448
1968-69	84,704	6,455	3,824	1,519
1969-70	86,047	8,753	4,242	1,297
1970-71	83,998	10,057	4,729	1,221
1971-72	82,358	9,140	5,097	1,348
1972-73	81,186	12,284	5,244	1,360
1973-74	80,676	13,441	5,648	1,349
1974-75	80,061	15,371	6,137	1,471
1975-76	80,330	21,511	6,700	1,648
1976-77	82,896	18,168	6,817	1,813
1977-78	82,056	21,604	7,138	1,793
1978-79	80,744	21,514	7,119	1,802
1979-80	79,035	21,343	7,296	1,972

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 1,022,302,907	$ 179,761,090	$ 188,978,619	$ 152,958,025	$ 129,586,557
1966-67	1,124,502,573	201,524,186	218,384,132	157,789,490	152,878,118
1967-68	1,176,779,021	216,377,677	221,524,353	161,966,001	147,300,815
1968-69	1,345,017,019	236,622,179	245,972,285	211,405,079	167,794,012
1969-70	1,435,075,197	256,532,227	262,756,689	239,854,670	178,954,577
1970-71	1,578,442,850	256,782,578	292,540,129	298,295,164	184,943,791
1971-72	1,884,775,393	288,651,622	335,709,972	372,089,690	228,256,273
1972-73	2,108,323,891	320,617,826	384,357,560	382,491,429	270,106,872
1973-74	2,394,007,271	380,926,155	413,550,074	479,549,986	307,959,377
1974-75	2,504,186,011	412,199,677	431,512,340	514,148,363	288,743,385
1975-76	2,796,424,063	490,414,827	505,223,027	585,653,425	274,691,631
1976-77	3,064,707,913	497,920,341	551,643,602	673,774,525	297,607,845
1977-78	3,661,007,361	570,778,580	660,662,334	792,377,387	356,933,012
1978-79	4,328,342,920	650,818,958	792,399,434	943,518,962	447,115,875

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 21,992,984.10
1966-67	24,464,787.20
1967-68	26,084,242.70
1968-69	28,876,195.40
1969-70	31,700,355.80
1970-71	33,533,730.60
1971-72	39,605,596.00
1972-73	44,668,694.10
1973-74	49,000,729.80
1974-75	49,294,021.10
1975-76	53,893,326.60
1976-77	58,663,378.00
1977-78	68,541,664.70
1978-79	78,361,533.90

Founded 1861

Mitchell

County Seat: Bakersville
Elevation: 2,550 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Bakersville, Spruce Pine

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	139.9
WATER	0.9
TOTAL	140.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	89.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	29.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	13,906		
1970	13,447	- 1.1%	1084
1971	13,704	1.0	93
1972	13,535	- 1.7	62
1973	13,727	1.2	36
1974	13,662	- 0.8	38
1975	13,864	1.3	29
1976	13,936	0.4	18
1977	13,996	0.2	27
1978	14,116	0.6	35

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,370
1971	2,528
1972	2,920
1973	3,248
1974	3,688
1975	4,060
1976	4,408
1977	4,809
1978	5,315

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	2,208
REPUBLICAN	5,703
OTHER	99
TOTAL	8,010

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	5,120	4,750	370	7.2%
1971	5,210	4,840	370	7.1
1972	5,720	5,360	360	6.3
1973	5,770	5,420	350	6.1
1974	5,530	5,230	300	5.4
1975	5,640	5,060	580	10.3
1976	5,520	5,090	430	7.8
1977	5,580	5,200	380	6.8
1978	5,880	5,590	290	4.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	3,690	1,870	1,820
1971	3,590	1,790	1,800
1972	3,630	1,820	1,810
1973	3,830	1,820	2,010
1974	4,120	1,820	2,300
1975	4,150	1,660	2,490
1976	4,300	1,700	2,600
1977	4,440	1,720	2,720
1978	4,680	1,730	2,950

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	52	7
1966	NA	51	9
1967	NA	51	9
1968	NA	51	4
1969	NA	51	1
1970	NA	51	5
1971	NA	51	4
1972	3	51	5
1973	NA	51	4
1974	5	51	2
1975	NA	51	1
1976	5	51	1
1977	NA	106	1
1978	6	106	3
1979	NA	88	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 342	$ 945	243	570
1965 THRU 1969	7,160	1,667	615	150
1970 THRU 1974	3,000	6,638	200	414
1975 THRU 1979	12,350	4,119	389	260

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	12,584	$ 4,732,141
1966	13,331	5,008,105
1967	12,433	5,149,207
1968	12,016	5,503,654
1969	10,084	5,723,844
1970	10,127	3,654,000
1971	10,650	3,835,000
1972	11,260	4,264,000
1973	9,001	5,587,000
1974	9,241	5,361,000
1975	9,746	5,276,000
1976	10,435	4,714,000
1977	9,198	3,203,000
1978	NA	3,348,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	705	386	155	NA
1966-67	616	382	160	NA
1967-68	583	384	163	12
1968-69	530	388	159	11
1969-70	508	374	162	12
1970-71	451	351	161	11
1971-72	424	320	172	12
1972-73	440	281	164	14
1973-74	385	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	377	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	369	464	276	14
1976-77	321	424	262	10
1977-78	294	404	243	9
1978-79	257	366	258	14

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	2	0	11	3
1969	2	0	13	4
1970	8	0	22	0
1971	5	0	27	2
1972	4	0	18	2
1973	3	1	19	NA
1974	8	2	25	1
1975	7	3	43	1
1976	19	0	36	0
1977	7	2	NA	4
1978	15	0	NA	0
1979	7	5	35	2

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	57.15
MUNICIPAL	6.81
TOTAL	63.96
SECONDARY	
RURAL	245.70
MUNICIPAL	9.45
TOTAL	255.15
PAVED	187.69
UNPAVED	131.42
TOTAL	319.11

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	5,943	98	60	1
1966	6,283	164	62	3
1967	6,621	170	66	3
1968	7,028	182	65	0
1969	7,225	159	58	1
1970	7,331	188	54	0
1971	7,795	181	81	5
1972	8,474	224	77	1
1973	9,013	228	106	1
1974	9,402	255	107	0
1975	9,234	270	125	2
1976	10,015	303	118	0
1977	10,319	269	142	1
1978	10,862	225	108	1
1979	11,058	222	119	3

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,247	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,213	NA	78	39
1967-68	3,102	240	106	38
1968-69	3,038	175	105	52
1969-70	2,995	249	111	45
1970-71	2,958	311	105	36
1971-72	2,931	567	81	20
1972-73	2,908	350	92	24
1973-74	2,991	368	83	35
1974-75	3,002	437	104	35
1975-76	2,993	537	122	52
1976-77	3,001	468	108	52
1977-78	2,954	480	114	46
1978-79	2,856	823	106	50
1979-80	2,819	627	100	63

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 17,290,022	$ 3,698,781	$ 2,699,342	$ 4,934,190	$ 918,126
1966-67	17,970,278	4,078,287	2,801,082	5,190,931	891,688
1967-68	19,295,408	4,365,931	2,794,135	5,692,250	1,119,442
1968-69	22,150,063	4,615,983	3,383,100	6,376,593	1,372,397
1969-70	22,563,418	4,656,145	3,156,650	6,536,042	1,554,922
1970-71	23,289,150	4,828,505	3,382,296	6,602,306	1,840,007
1971-72	27,200,127	5,043,250	3,541,641	7,274,137	2,778,526
1972-73	30,524,185	5,243,533	3,833,044	8,299,134	3,656,671
1973-74	32,768,972	5,404,738	3,634,059	10,151,767	3,497,907
1974-75	38,663,907	8,966,008	4,827,891	12,318,896	3,119,024
1975-76	44,429,359	10,021,499	5,667,457	13,205,691	4,474,275
1976-77	48,644,052	10,389,859	5,845,717	14,468,936	4,809,701
1977-78	58,036,783	11,606,752	6,225,325	16,974,585	6,148,736
1978-79	61,714,614	13,096,459	6,592,986	19,733,646	6,022,185

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 346,245.80
1966-67	363,611.10
1967-68	395,656.60
1968-69	448,191.20
1969-70	461,468.50
1970-71	481,315.40
1971-72	563,242.60
1972-73	633,395.10
1973-74	668,029.00
1974-75	807,096.30
1975-76	899,326.40
1976-77	978,650.50
1977-78	1,122,030.80
1978-79	1,183,741.00

Founded 1779

Montgomery

County Seat: Troy
Elevation: 664 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Biscoe, Candor, Mount Gilead, Star, Troy

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	311.6
WATER	8.3
TOTAL	319.9
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	222.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	39.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	7.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	18,408		
1970	19,267	- 0.6%	1909
1971	19,370	- 0.6	243
1972	19,314	- 1.0	137
1973	19,443	0.1	107
1974	19,621	0.5	90
1975	19,680	- 0.2	98
1976	19,504	- 1.3	86
1977	19,427	- 0.9	106
1978	19,681	0.7	113

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,875
1971	3,189
1972	3,584
1973	4,039
1974	3,967
1975	4,282
1976	4,928
1977	5,600
1978	6,310

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	6,950
REPUBLICAN	2,732
OTHER	358
TOTAL	10,040

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	9,060	8,780	280	3.1%
1971	9,650	9,360	290	3.0
1972	10,070	9,740	330	3.3
1973	10,130	9,930	200	2.0
1974	9,680	9,360	320	3.3
1975	9,460	8,600	860	9.1
1976	10,150	9,510	640	6.3
1977	10,340	9,910	430	4.2
1978	10,730	10,140	590	5.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	7,630	5,360	2,270
1971	8,230	5,570	2,660
1972	8,470	6,020	2,450
1973	8,750	6,280	2,470
1974	8,410	5,790	2,620
1975	7,590	5,020	2,570
1976	8,470	5,710	2,760
1977	8,920	6,160	2,760
1978	9,210	6,290	2,920

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	50	12
1966	NA	50	13
1967	NA	50	10
1968	NA	50	7
1969	NA	50	13
1970	NA	50	13
1971	NA	50	7
1972	3	82	9
1973	NA	82	8
1974	5	82	4
1975	NA	82	7
1976	6	89	5
1977	NA	89	4
1978	5	89	8
1979	NA	89	5

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 857	$ 1,764	175	767
1965 THRU 1969	1,235	11,097	477	927
1970 THRU 1974	4,948	7,690	520	349
1975 THRU 1979	985	19,581	68	394

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	26,344	$ 9,025,456
1966	25,739	9,706,312
1967	25,648	8,466,233
1968	25,806	9,894,450
1969	24,775	9,405,454
1970	25,102	8,913,000
1971	23,753	8,812,000
1972	23,196	9,239,000
1973	21,886	13,767,000
1974	22,183	11,725,000
1975	21,931	13,831,000
1976	21,389	13,816,000
1977	22,085	15,096,000
1978	NA	20,486,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	662	262	133	NA
1966-67	599	244	134	NA
1967-68	494	220	117	26
1968-69	512	208	121	26
1969-70	468	218	128	25
1970-71	492	210	133	24
1971-72	543	188	144	27
1972-73	453	154	145	29
1973-74	388	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	387	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	530	464	306	24
1976-77	565	412	294	18
1977-78	516	392	309	15
1978-79	519	373	324	15

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	44	8	64	9
1969	34	8	86	8
1970	42	16	95	3
1971	48	13	58	8
1972	62	10	83	3
1973	52	13	117	NA
1974	42	16	146	7
1975	44	15	143	5
1976	40	13	160	0
1977	48	14	NA	3
1978	47	17	NA	3
1979	34	25	193	4

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	120.36
MUNICIPAL	16.56
TOTAL	136.92
SECONDARY	
RURAL	500.25
MUNICIPAL	15.37
TOTAL	515.62
PAVED	529.26
UNPAVED	123.28
TOTAL	652.54

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	8,279	306	143	15
1966	8,895	320	148	11
1967	9,265	341	177	12
1968	9,815	393	231	18
1969	10,051	404	191	7
1970	10,259	448	217	10
1971	10,872	446	149	9
1972	11,605	480	235	4
1973	12,397	436	218	9
1974	12,650	421	281	7
1975	12,746	367	223	5
1976	13,781	434	306	4
1977	14,408	501	281	15
1978	15,024	465	284	4
1979	15,542	457	267	8

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	5,166	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	5,045	NA	140	70
1967-68	5,001	287	160	74
1968-69	4,928	416	146	72
1969-70	4,868	438	141	75
1970-71	4,810	624	178	77
1971-72	4,957	625	168	61
1972-73	4,568	676	181	69
1973-74	4,649	575	197	68
1974-75	4,568	908	202	76
1975-76	4,533	972	221	80
1976-77	4,573	839	212	82
1977-78	4,609	984	202	93
1978-79	4,615	1,190	197	86
1979-80	4,598	828	185	84

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 24,963,635	$ 6,555,970	$ 3,035,827	$ 4,927,520	$ 3,636,567
1966-67	27,487,549	8,056,907	3,186,807	5,133,700	4,226,453
1967-68	28,532,552	8,054,815	3,395,550	5,460,644	4,363,921
1968-69	31,446,624	8,343,278	3,681,946	6,032,553	4,404,927
1969-70	34,495,781	9,173,836	4,635,544	6,702,280	4,076,944
1970-71	33,706,694	9,401,088	4,586,349	7,076,327	3,344,791
1971-72	38,468,765	11,185,149	5,059,376	7,285,331	4,393,030
1972-73	45,347,272	14,395,154	5,342,010	8,563,510	4,587,368
1973-74	52,038,211	18,520,368	6,052,496	9,422,946	5,317,994
1974-75	53,083,343	21,549,548	6,448,068	9,861,631	4,526,812
1975-76	65,112,061	27,896,015	7,546,373	10,847,214	6,020,759
1976-77	66,139,223	26,850,926	7,356,206	12,185,435	5,580,383
1977-78	72,612,271	28,807,257	8,556,019	13,590,869	6,489,355
1978-79	76,405,458	31,819,334	8,884,088	14,612,860	6,031,762

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 533,681.00
1966-67	592,832.80
1967-68	604,067.10
1968-69	665,171.10
1969-70	730,683.80
1970-71	722,542.40
1971-72	829,753.20
1972-73	988,049.00
1973-74	1,094,747.90
1974-75	1,091,862.70
1975-76	1,373,391.20
1976-77	1,380,181.70
1977-78	1,474,964.30
1978-79	1,568,064.20

Founded 1784

Moore

County Seat: Carthage
Elevation: 575 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Aberdeen, Cameron, Carthage, Foxfire Village, Jackson Springs, Pinebluff, Pinehurst, Robbins, Southern Pines, Vass, Whispering Pines

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	449.2
WATER	2.4
TOTAL	451.6
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	351.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	62.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	20.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	36,733		
1970	39,048	- 0.5%	4272
1971	40,122	1.4	364
1972	40,471	0.3	216
1973	41,567	2.3	164
1974	41,832	0.2	179
1975	42,589	1.3	216
1976	42,871	0.2	212
1977	43,719	1.5	206
1978	44,474	1.4	162

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,100
1971	3,294
1972	3,758
1973	4,360
1974	4,645
1975	4,978
1976	5,618
1977	6,143
1978	6,823

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	12,841
REPUBLICAN	7,166
OTHER	902
TOTAL	20,909

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	16,530	15,720	810	4.9%
1971	16,820	15,950	870	5.2
1972	17,600	16,670	930	5.3
1973	18,390	17,490	900	4.9
1974	19,340	18,310	1,030	5.3
1975	20,030	17,600	2,430	12.1
1976	20,900	19,610	1,290	6.2
1977	21,440	20,280	1,160	5.4
1978	23,080	22,070	1,010	4.4

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	11,440	4,130	7,310
1971	11,710	4,170	7,540
1972	12,130	4,220	7,910
1973	12,950	4,320	8,630
1974	13,750	4,480	9,270
1975	13,230	3,860	9,370
1976	14,910	4,750	10,160
1977	15,630	5,010	10,620
1978	17,280	5,440	11,840

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	270	31
1966	NA	311	29
1967	NA	316	16
1968	NA	309	15
1969	NA	314	23
1970	NA	312	15
1971	NA	327	21
1972	19	327	20
1973	NA	312	11
1974	19	312	12
1975	NA	312	16
1976	24	312	13
1977	NA	312	12
1978	22	448	10
1979	NA	452	13

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 4,395	$ 4,226	931	453
1965 THRU 1969	2,042	7,736	624	892
1970 THRU 1974	7,450	3,067	922	229
1975 THRU 1979	22,403	3,821	801	389

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	57,369	$ 32,516,615
1966	54,229	37,289,374
1967	55,680	35,486,369
1968	53,978	39,443,105
1969	53,665	45,019,421
1970	51,145	32,133,000
1971	51,765	29,569,000
1972	52,739	32,042,000
1973	47,591	56,280,000
1974	55,675	51,163,000
1975	46,650	49,289,000
1976	50,649	49,368,000
1977	47,722	49,663,000
1978	NA	56,440,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,017	327	216	NA
1966-67	1,072	309	226	NA
1967-68	996	302	235	53
1968-69	925	279	235	55
1969-70	1,027	275	240	55
1970-71	1,104	231	229	55
1971-72	1,189	221	240	56
1972-73	1,029	202	247	49
1973-74	867	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	960	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,027	778	560	41
1976-77	1,074	744	564	40
1977-78	1,227	740	589	38
1978-79	1,239	704	589	38

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	90	11	123	14
1969	73	17	169	17
1970	75	15	211	18
1971	66	9	214	12
1972	79	23	225	23
1973	61	17	274	NA
1974	66	23	216	13
1975	63	30	262	11
1976	99	24	323	3
1977	72	26	NA	8
1978	67	26	NA	5
1979	77	22	334	7

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	151.93
MUNICIPAL	21.48
TOTAL	173.41
SECONDARY	
RURAL	862.00
MUNICIPAL	49.25
TOTAL	911.25
PAVED	867.91
UNPAVED	216.75
TOTAL	1,084.66

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	18,195	493	253	18
1966	19,375	547	282	17
1967	20,078	631	372	21
1968	21,439	703	401	26
1969	22,319	774	378	22
1970	22,962	693	342	17
1971	24,264	756	416	34
1972	26,241	780	421	21
1973	28,534	872	486	25
1974	29,637	800	448	11
1975	30,853	849	544	11
1976	33,501	990	641	15
1977	35,106	1,026	670	11
1978	37,181	1,021	613	16
1979	39,984	1,036	738	21

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	9,999	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	10,082	NA	274	141
1967-68	10,105	915	293	133
1968-69	10,057	1,142	327	128
1969-70	10,021	1,699	345	99
1970-71	9,991	1,879	376	84
1971-72	9,978	1,777	396	120
1972-73	9,772	2,161	422	146
1973-74	9,693	1,679	443	113
1974-75	9,610	2,986	458	108
1975-76	9,850	2,996	513	117
1976-77	9,962	2,527	557	128
1977-78	9,881	2,694	584	114
1978-79	9,697	3,026	571	133
1979-80	9,594	3,337	556	156

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 52,004,554	$ 17,413,950	$ 6,917,379	$ 8,707,535	$ 2,408,600
1966-67	54,118,971	18,343,818	7,418,480	9,012,222	2,253,001
1967-68	57,254,690	19,250,765	7,959,307	9,181,170	2,345,723
1968-69	62,705,448	21,580,620	8,628,113	9,907,867	1,842,947
1969-70	69,343,560	23,739,641	9,632,884	11,611,394	2,052,306
1970-71	74,061,829	25,939,297	10,403,330	11,427,211	2,400,641
1971-72	82,274,131	29,470,091	11,500,875	12,461,928	2,530,011
1972-73	93,258,810	33,329,694	12,423,668	14,297,337	4,060,811
1973-74	107,325,671	38,518,434	15,227,254	16,186,667	4,576,296
1974-75	113,187,995	42,714,512	16,167,801	17,284,332	4,182,271
1975-76	128,369,850	48,138,277	18,783,625	20,213,873	4,606,685
1976-77	150,751,106	55,362,283	22,178,051	23,244,488	6,310,620
1977-78	171,731,136	61,149,120	26,297,234	27,996,006	7,726,038
1978-79	200,969,441	69,897,239	31,726,430	33,293,549	8,268,801

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,165,979.60
1966-67	1,224,386.60
1967-68	1,335,846.00
1968-69	1,466,741.70
1969-70	1,641,369.10
1970-71	1,776,544.80
1971-72	1,945,832.10
1972-73	2,224,967.50
1973-74	2,519,033.60
1974-75	2,623,249.10
1975-76	2,953,802.30
1976-77	3,447,514.10
1977-78	3,868,466.40
1978-79	4,440,454.20

Founded 1777

Nash

County Seat: Nashville
Elevation: 180 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Bailey, Battleboro (Part), Castalia, Dortches, Middlesex, Nashville, Red Oak, Rocky Mount (Part), Sharpsburg (Part), Spring Hope, Whitakers (Part)

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	351.9
WATER	1.4
TOTAL	353.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	180.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	141.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	19.1

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	61,002		
1970	59,122	- 1.4%	6580
1971	60,107	0.5	605
1972	60,408	- 0.2	409
1973	62,166	2.3	355
1974	63,423	1.4	372
1975	64,519	1.1	407
1976	65,140	0.3	413
1977	66,520	1.5	414
1978	67,234	0.5	386

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,873
1971	3,077
1972	3,503
1973	3,953
1974	4,395
1975	4,699
1976	5,362
1977	5,618
1978	6,410

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	20,981
REPUBLICAN	4,116
OTHER	506
TOTAL	25,603

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	26,390	25,310	1,080	4.1%
1971	27,220	26,150	1,070	3.9
1972	29,570	28,340	1,230	4.2
1973	31,220	30,020	1,200	3.8
1974	32,210	30,580	1,630	5.1
1975	31,980	29,370	2,610	8.2
1976	32,640	30,700	1,940	5.9
1977	32,940	30,980	1,960	6.0
1978	33,970	32,450	1,520	4.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	20,910	7,900	13,010
1971	21,830	8,220	13,610
1972	24,000	9,750	14,250
1973	26,670	10,980	15,690
1974	27,110	11,740	15,370
1975	25,840	9,560	16,280
1976	27,530	10,700	16,830
1977	29,200	11,100	18,100
1978	30,700	11,420	19,280

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	201	29
1966	NA	209	34
1967	NA	209	37
1968	NA	209	26
1969	NA	209	31
1970	NA	205	32
1971	NA	205	20
1972	26	342	19
1973	NA	342	23
1974	26	342	12
1975	NA	342	24
1976	26	342	18
1977	NA	342	15
1978	40	322	19
1979	NA	322	23

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,594	$ 3,287	873	295
1965 THRU 1969	34,514	7,429	1,915	1,239
1970 THRU 1974	53,643	47,206	2,605	2,360
1975 THRU 1979	43,298	81,187	1,613	2,123

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	123,941	$ 27,691,496
1966	123,911	29,819,026
1967	124,199	33,942,440
1968	125,978	29,238,733
1969	124,115	34,716,302
1970	123,734	35,631,000
1971	122,577	34,194,000
1972	119,027	38,534,000
1973	117,354	50,736,000
1974	114,907	56,160,000
1975	113,577	56,690,000
1976	113,705	66,436,000
1977	113,175	56,887,000
1978	NA	71,671,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,498	647	309	NA
1966-67	1,449	607	310	NA
1967-68	1,352	571	323	45
1968-69	1,559	573	367	45
1969-70	1,774	578	413	44
1970-71	1,977	564	416	47
1971-72	1,939	539	428	51
1972-73	1,813	470	422	41
1973-74	1,736	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,038	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,604	1,354	960	36
1976-77	2,974	1,268	931	33
1977-78	3,226	1,204	964	35
1978-79	3,071	1,154	1,003	37

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	125	31	142	31
1969	116	30	181	29
1970	127	46	185	18
1971	132	38	181	20
1972	125	45	214	21
1973	125	33	253	NA
1974	131	39	307	9
1975	153	43	413	4
1976	142	43	366	5
1977	147	56	NA	15
1978	107	61	NA	19
1979	131	66	299	15

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	215.02
MUNICIPAL	35.93
TOTAL	250.95
SECONDARY	
RURAL	764.61
MUNICIPAL	42.16
TOTAL	806.77
PAVED	903.18
UNPAVED	154.54
TOTAL	1,057.72

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	13,278	1,028	697	34
1966	13,738	1,090	645	34
1967	14,397	1,134	643	28
1968	15,224	1,265	759	37
1969	15,683	1,389	784	29
1970	16,404	1,481	826	34
1971	17,516	1,585	864	27
1972	18,809	1,628	949	51
1973	20,265	1,607	1,078	30
1974	21,317	1,574	981	26
1975	22,419	1,546	1,029	32
1976	24,429	1,776	1,115	22
1977	25,371	1,975	1,228	20
1978	26,631	2,031	1,153	36
1979	27,461	1,781	957	34

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

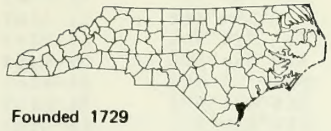
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	20,620	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	20,345	NA	518	367
1967-68	20,183	554	503	345
1968-69	20,123	666	495	365
1969-70	19,548	799	507	360
1970-71	19,052	1,409	582	430
1971-72	18,579	1,557	597	409
1972-73	18,079	1,832	629	424
1973-74	18,442	1,726	659	374
1974-75	18,280	1,768	692	422
1975-76	18,396	2,650	765	449
1976-77	18,694	2,268	811	389
1977-78	18,587	2,683	815	406
1978-79	18,214	2,563	824	402
1979-80	17,749	2,199	805	487

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 100,224,132	$ 21,902,292	$ 20,418,792	$ 17,620,667	$ 7,272,362
1966-67	112,642,529	24,226,647	24,520,666	18,977,795	7,742,082
1967-68	122,151,619	25,387,328	27,968,357	20,742,769	8,573,643
1968-69	137,164,202	29,064,289	31,372,076	23,746,120	9,838,155
1969-70	154,183,304	32,758,970	34,676,744	26,888,473	11,963,146
1970-71	171,005,988	37,000,921	39,397,433	27,825,310	14,005,891
1971-72	190,403,873	39,247,581	42,865,295	30,941,903	16,001,599
1972-73	228,410,012	45,823,515	50,301,743	34,845,075	20,743,043
1973-74	265,129,539	53,928,837	60,039,830	37,647,933	26,943,992
1974-75	284,666,763	64,346,239	62,240,967	40,242,168	25,445,072
1975-76	309,958,031	74,971,225	70,147,454	43,166,501	27,317,128
1976-77	346,860,186	81,564,207	74,291,013	48,723,926	33,205,358
1977-78	372,065,075	83,596,268	75,245,435	56,010,820	36,613,136
1978-79	411,601,228	96,350,957	78,707,588	60,382,159	42,562,590

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,149,904.10
1966-67	2,401,565.20
1967-68	2,598,093.10
1968-69	2,917,305.90
1969-70	3,338,047.10
1970-71	3,702,641.40
1971-72	4,119,627.60
1972-73	4,980,481.10
1973-74	5,540,289.10
1974-75	5,747,659.80
1975-76	6,427,487.70
1976-77	7,205,140.90
1977-78	7,624,555.10
1978-79	8,261,836.90



Founded 1729

New Hanover

County Seat: Wilmington
Elevation: 38 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Carolina Beach, Kure Beach, Wilmington, Wrightsville Beach

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	123.5
WATER	22.2
TOTAL	145.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	67.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	7.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	36.1

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	71,742		
1970	82,996	0.5%	7378
1971	86,411	2.2	1084
1972	89,363	2.5	792
1973	92,260	2.5	655
1974	94,138	1.4	620
1975	95,573	0.9	584
1976	95,878	- 0.3	559
1977	96,958	0.5	572
1978	95,719	- 1.8	526

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,363
1971	3,569
1972	4,027
1973	4,428
1974	4,719
1975	5,051
1976	5,617
1977	6,128
1978	6,728

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	30,740
REPUBLICAN	10,922
OTHER	1,718
TOTAL	43,380

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	33,580	32,220	1,360	4.1%
1971	32,990	31,160	1,830	5.5
1972	36,870	35,310	1,560	4.2
1973	38,870	37,580	1,290	3.3
1974	40,790	38,680	2,110	5.2
1975	41,430	37,960	3,470	8.4
1976	42,050	39,010	3,040	7.2
1977	42,880	39,390	3,490	8.1
1978	44,180	42,010	2,170	4.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	32,350	9,830	22,520
1971	31,380	9,030	22,350
1972	34,330	10,160	24,170
1973	37,580	10,700	26,880
1974	38,890	10,570	28,320
1975	36,570	9,710	26,860
1976	38,230	10,240	27,990
1977	39,160	9,890	29,270
1978	41,780	9,880	31,900

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	472	43
1966	NA	453	30
1967	NA	453	34
1968	NA	512	36
1969	NA	520	31
1970	NA	522	42
1971	NA	522	37
1972	46	533	31
1973	NA	569	38
1974	46	558	21
1975	NA	558	25
1976	57	541	31
1977	NA	541	17
1978	68	495	15
1979	NA	494	18

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 59,734	$ 4,378	914	510
1965 THRU 1969	137,444	23,560	1,688	889
1970 THRU 1974	64,060	49,580	880	869
1975 THRU 1979	28,598	35,779	576	518

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	7,860	$ 4,464,542
1966	7,394	4,112,667
1967	6,959	3,441,893
1968	6,829	3,022,203
1969	6,624	2,589,533
1970	6,214	2,445,000
1971	5,567	2,033,000
1972	6,175	1,972,000
1973	6,521	2,247,000
1974	5,841	2,354,000
1975	5,777	1,918,000
1976	5,787	1,841,000
1977	4,330	1,925,000
1978	NA	1,990,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	2,310	645	480	NA
1966-67	1,881	634	410	NA
1967-68	1,659	593	375	120
1968-69	1,625	573	373	121
1969-70	1,868	539	369	125
1970-71	2,188	490	394	115
1971-72	2,581	459	423	115
1972-73	2,473	422	414	121
1973-74	2,307	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,782	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	3,262	1,163	1,059	98
1976-77	3,583	1,077	1,096	90
1977-78	3,806	1,046	1,151	81
1978-79	3,924	992	1,211	75

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	231	46	432	47
1969	223	76	436	42
1970	325	93	363	69
1971	329	109	415	61
1972	299	121	534	69
1973	294	107	489	NA
1974	324	123	629	61
1975	335	145	691	52
1976	323	139	752	29
1977	270	117	NA	46
1978	312	146	NA	40
1979	234	121	703	34

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	60.00
MUNICIPAL	24.63
TOTAL	84.63
SECONDARY	
RURAL	290.02
MUNICIPAL	31.65
TOTAL	321.67
PAVED	383.74
UNPAVED	22.56
TOTAL	406.30

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	32,888	1,671	1,076	19
1966	35,204	1,992	1,101	25
1967	37,964	2,065	1,228	17
1968	40,999	2,231	1,164	13
1969	43,727	2,573	1,271	22
1970	46,760	2,533	1,179	21
1971	50,349	2,831	1,206	24
1972	55,004	2,660	1,316	19
1973	59,644	2,780	1,514	25
1974	61,971	2,514	1,486	14
1975	64,280	2,815	1,721	18
1976	66,755	3,117	1,882	14
1977	69,268	3,184	2,009	17
1978	71,638	3,147	1,999	17
1979	74,432	3,112	2,061	24

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	18,504	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	18,791	NA	1,192	128
1967-68	19,510	1,877	1,240	141
1968-69	19,931	2,012	1,266	136
1969-70	20,029	2,625	1,383	186
1970-71	20,382	3,241	1,650	178
1971-72	20,300	3,127	1,576	219
1972-73	20,472	3,267	1,820	208
1973-74	20,603	2,096	1,906	177
1974-75	21,072	4,195	2,077	191
1975-76	21,236	3,388	2,457	197
1976-77	22,123	2,476	2,347	224
1977-78	21,912	2,428	2,431	244
1978-79	21,846	2,968	2,454	267
1979-80	21,695	2,581	2,428	266

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 163,211,209	$ 36,849,796	$ 33,876,026	$ 24,891,066	$ 17,220,945
1966-67	182,739,527	40,303,795	39,939,754	26,557,236	20,162,990
1967-68	209,722,349	43,376,974	46,487,106	29,651,636	25,047,888
1968-69	227,474,253	47,059,370	51,079,015	33,974,635	26,779,409
1969-70	246,721,009	52,725,059	56,904,709	38,554,632	28,117,147
1970-71	265,394,611	58,021,884	63,130,562	40,526,795	30,362,601
1971-72	312,051,649	60,240,346	72,916,342	52,776,021	36,551,626
1972-73	360,567,463	70,933,611	84,774,152	57,199,023	42,723,335
1973-74	426,516,573	86,843,772	95,139,147	69,040,274	52,455,913
1974-75	434,751,963	96,505,313	93,469,258	76,146,519	50,979,724
1975-76	486,004,771	110,276,305	100,549,952	81,981,708	48,351,814
1976-77	517,693,783	121,883,594	101,314,683	92,222,039	52,336,349
1977-78	583,762,852	132,113,651	112,994,922	101,576,096	64,761,922
1978-79	657,664,227	148,408,257	125,285,553	117,279,387	77,414,067

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 3,696,938.90
1966-67	4,174,970.90
1967-68	4,743,725.50
1968-69	5,226,097.00
1969-70	5,852,591.20
1970-71	6,522,184.90
1971-72	7,442,790.30
1972-73	8,713,351.40
1973-74	9,908,140.20
1974-75	10,132,406.50
1975-76	11,122,555.50
1976-77	11,800,204.10
1977-78	13,195,946.70
1978-79	14,920,151.00

Founded 1741

Northampton

County Seat: Jackson
Elevation: 131 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Conway, Garysburg, Gaston, Jackson, Lasker, Rich Square, Seaboard, Severn, Woodland

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	338.4
WATER	7.7
TOTAL	346.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	198.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	122.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	7.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	26,811		
1970	23,099	- 2.5%	2644
1971	23,913	2.2	168
1972	23,816	- 0.9	120
1973	23,626	- 1.1	71
1974	22,957	- 3.2	97
1975	23,123	0.3	99
1976	23,229	0.2	64
1977	23,271	- 0.3	102
1978	23,375	- 0.1	118

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,013
1971	2,138
1972	2,361
1973	3,073
1974	3,219
1975	3,376
1976	4,181
1977	4,150
1978	4,726

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	10,074
REPUBLICAN	134
OTHER	3
TOTAL	10,211

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	8,400	7,970	430	5.1%
1971	8,700	8,180	520	6.0
1972	8,800	8,320	480	5.5
1973	8,720	8,320	400	4.6
1974	8,610	8,150	460	5.3
1975	8,390	7,740	650	7.7
1976	8,850	8,290	560	6.3
1977	8,890	8,210	680	7.6
1978	8,950	8,500	450	5.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	3,790	1,500	2,290
1971	3,870	1,500	2,370
1972	3,860	1,630	2,230
1973	3,920	1,740	2,180
1974	4,030	1,760	2,270
1975	3,980	1,630	2,350
1976	4,210	1,730	2,480
1977	4,220	1,750	2,470
1978	4,370	1,600	2,770

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	23
1966	NA	0	20
1967	NA	0	14
1968	NA	0	19
1969	NA	0	6
1970	NA	0	14
1971	NA	0	9
1972	5	0	17
1973	NA	0	9
1974	5	0	8
1975	NA	0	11
1976	7	0	9
1977	NA	0	13
1978	7	0	11
1979	NA	0	6

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 875	$ 2,835	17	358
1965 THRU 1969	1,192	580	150	120
1970 THRU 1974	190	129	113	6
1975 THRU 1979	1,500	2,485	30	161

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	110,137	$ 19,650,337
1966	109,840	19,629,752
1967	110,183	17,785,123
1968	109,544	18,675,964
1969	107,294	20,753,211
1970	108,159	20,511,000
1971	109,247	24,128,000
1972	111,717	22,953,000
1973	108,878	37,148,000
1974	112,382	37,122,000
1975	111,039	39,038,000
1976	109,774	51,419,000
1977	111,208	48,091,000
1978	NA	54,253,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	928	349	157	NA
1966-67	1,235	357	187	NA
1967-68	1,558	362	216	31
1968-69	1,746	346	231	31
1969-70	1,802	362	248	27
1970-71	1,836	340	260	27
1971-72	1,834	322	264	24
1972-73	1,804	285	274	21
1973-74	1,751	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,757	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,919	856	571	19
1976-77	2,182	793	575	21
1977-78	2,141	749	573	23
1978-79	2,058	719	598	21

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	41	14	94	5
1969	45	10	116	9
1970	35	10	125	2
1971	35	6	86	0
1972	20	7	87	0
1973	20	4	81	NA
1974	21	4	107	3
1975	16	5	122	2
1976	31	3	114	1
1977	23	5	NA	1
1978	18	8	NA	3
1979	10	13	148	3

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	136.65
MUNICIPAL	20.08
TOTAL	156.73
SECONDARY	
RURAL	407.57
MUNICIPAL	13.73
TOTAL	421.30
PAVED	446.79
UNPAVED	131.24
TOTAL	578.03

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	8,241	419	290	18
1966	8,414	403	301	8
1967	8,884	413	258	14
1968	9,042	436	222	17
1969	8,985	482	280	20
1970	8,188	437	290	8
1971	9,703	470	252	20
1972	10,202	503	244	23
1973	10,821	469	322	18
1974	11,210	379	240	6
1975	11,836	429	255	7
1976	12,929	437	298	15
1977	13,521	439	282	16
1978	14,230	450	256	10
1979	14,569	461	272	10

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	7,831	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	7,549	NA	208	143
1967-68	7,467	118	225	132
1968-69	7,297	269	239	128
1969-70	6,692	777	258	108
1970-71	6,429	615	276	112
1971-72	6,220	790	296	114
1972-73	6,049	618	318	110
1973-74	6,013	607	310	98
1974-75	5,890	1,017	305	108
1975-76	5,738	886	321	103
1976-77	5,605	778	358	90
1977-78	5,548	885	336	115
1978-79	5,343	1,071	325	124
1979-80	5,122	975	323	119

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 16,871,066	$ 4,388,327	$ 2,418,905	$ 3,700,380	$ 832,618
1966-67	18,199,449	4,878,487	2,618,273	4,212,250	603,791
1967-68	19,560,542	5,225,421	2,722,762	4,759,910	392,789
1968-69	19,546,903	5,729,632	2,879,860	5,349,373	402,263
1969-70	20,923,808	6,377,590	2,854,185	5,608,942	409,406
1970-71	23,429,343	6,500,999	2,865,780	6,204,371	232,631
1971-72	24,507,746	7,412,935	2,976,533	5,377,828	233,047
1972-73	26,917,469	8,981,453	3,596,413	4,984,859	291,990
1973-74	35,320,233	10,414,619	4,031,828	5,875,217	417,557
1974-75	40,422,295	12,359,401	4,440,565	6,186,167	316,646
1975-76	42,882,002	14,277,681	5,307,574	6,815,636	361,997
1976-77	47,528,181	14,839,820	5,969,018	7,238,362	394,480
1977-78	50,897,267	14,798,914	6,120,758	8,083,128	433,787
1978-79	55,878,093	18,141,472	6,793,306	9,027,283	496,568

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 297,773.10
1966-67	754,690.30
1967-68	340,210.40
1968-69	374,686.00
1969-70	399,654.50
1970-71	440,218.20
1971-72	453,578.60
1972-73	505,878.30
1973-74	569,445.10
1974-75	609,387.90
1975-76	664,775.40
1976-77	702,539.50
1977-78	683,034.60
1978-79	744,067.20

Founded 1734

Onslow

County Seat: Jacksonville
Elevation: 23 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Chadwick Acres, Holly Ridge, Jacksonville, Richlands, Swansboro

AREA (thousands of acres)

LAND	482.9
WATER	37.8
TOTAL	520.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	300.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	60.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	13.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	82,706		
1970	103,126	- 0.9%	25337
1971	100,368	- 4.5	3031
1972	93,839	- 8.7	2228
1973	92,907	- 3.3	2187
1974	96,337	1.3	2246
1975	112,903	14.9	2256
1976	115,080	- 0.1	2308
1977	116,219	- 1.1	2349
1978	118,443	- 0.1	2394

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,320
1971	3,291
1972	3,797
1973	4,070
1974	4,858
1975	4,641
1976	4,866
1977	5,191
1978	5,698

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	20,089
REPUBLICAN	3,222
OTHER	1,173
TOTAL	24,484

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	19,860	19,030	830	4.2%
1971	20,450	19,470	980	4.8
1972	21,420	20,470	950	4.4
1973	21,760	20,870	890	4.1
1974	23,230	22,000	1,230	5.3
1975	24,020	22,300	1,720	7.2
1976	24,840	23,200	1,640	6.7
1977	24,460	22,650	1,810	7.4
1978	26,910	25,470	1,440	5.4

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	15,990	1,300	14,690
1971	16,600	1,560	15,040
1972	17,470	1,580	15,890
1973	17,940	1,830	16,110
1974	18,740	1,840	16,900
1975	18,690	1,830	16,860
1976	19,220	1,920	17,300
1977	19,090	1,950	17,140
1978	20,950	2,400	18,550

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	75	73
1966	NA	102	62
1967	NA	102	57
1968	NA	98	59
1969	NA	98	65
1970	NA	95	65
1971	NA	95	60
1972	41	95	53
1973	NA	95	47
1974	29	95	55
1975	NA	153	46
1976	30	153	51
1977	NA	153	52
1978	24	153	40
1979	NA	150	30

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 332	$ 126	229	80
1965 THRU 1969	4,931	526	565	235
1970 THRU 1974	3,255	2,430	945	390
1975 THRU 1979	11,502	11,870	815	1,360

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	52,149	$ 9,792,930
1966	55,427	11,108,365
1967	54,762	11,893,693
1968	53,413	10,865,827
1969	51,047	12,796,781
1970	52,988	12,596,000
1971	55,570	11,170,000
1972	53,736	12,292,000
1973	51,266	17,762,000
1974	49,173	19,015,000
1975	49,295	21,515,000
1976	51,174	19,835,000
1977	51,587	18,778,000
1978	NA	22,130,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	2,107	316	245	NA
1966-67	2,046	308	246	NA
1967-68	2,069	309	266	58
1968-69	1,964	308	276	60
1969-70	2,002	314	314	54
1970-71	2,101	331	336	53
1971-72	2,235	345	347	46
1972-73	1,913	326	346	41
1973-74	1,699	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,611	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,625	568	543	33
1976-77	1,644	539	553	35
1977-78	1,603	511	556	34
1978-79	1,713	504	610	34

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	82	13	152	11
1969	106	13	222	13
1970	99	16	201	18
1971	109	13	154	19
1972	172	9	184	13
1973	297	15	240	NA
1974	308	21	359	16
1975	310	28	479	10
1976	210	28	576	15
1977	211	26	NA	9
1978	149	42	NA	7
1979	154	25	745	10

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	142.88
MUNICIPAL	8.44
TOTAL	151.32
SECONDARY	
RURAL	519.92
MUNICIPAL	21.98
TOTAL	541.90
PAVED	586.59
UNPAVED	106.63
TOTAL	693.22

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	26,706	1,223	610	15
1966	27,463	1,443	587	31
1967	28,948	1,420	594	42
1968	30,669	1,560	684	37
1969	31,901	1,654	717	18
1970	35,108	1,731	791	25
1971	36,748	1,915	793	34
1972	39,634	2,003	959	45
1973	42,372	2,027	1,113	32
1974	44,704	2,033	1,102	42
1975	47,921	2,268	1,306	35
1976	51,694	2,364	1,405	38
1977	53,977	2,338	1,529	37
1978	58,169	2,437	1,437	28
1979	60,872	2,501	1,528	25

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	14,400	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	14,786	NA	452	146
1967-68	15,600	817	491	167
1968-69	15,521	2,520	559	153
1969-70	16,194	2,529	578	151
1970-71	16,639	4,030	616	128
1971-72	16,483	3,770	636	117
1972-73	16,410	3,885	697	114
1973-74	16,355	4,585	720	95
1974-75	16,642	4,555	780	119
1975-76	16,437	4,297	828	123
1976-77	16,910	3,950	838	120
1977-78	16,848	3,127	842	123
1978-79	16,318	3,483	861	140
1979-80	16,159	4,038	894	150

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 87,506,226	$ 20,503,737	$ 13,891,860	$ 17,629,457	$ 3,724,079
1966-67	100,170,382	24,106,823	16,620,280	20,116,046	3,404,733
1967-68	111,866,587	27,418,565	18,328,315	22,150,283	3,808,473
1968-69	122,265,062	29,589,080	19,715,430	24,218,859	4,662,005
1969-70	131,554,434	31,182,846	25,785,553	25,457,891	3,689,903
1970-71	140,383,215	32,421,406	28,255,526	26,842,896	4,769,152
1971-72	155,352,345	34,401,722	30,230,916	29,718,609	6,902,896
1972-73	178,827,465	39,953,016	34,363,989	32,713,880	9,727,964
1973-74	198,430,110	46,857,979	36,812,586	34,950,578	13,255,511
1974-75	221,747,648	57,528,790	39,984,507	39,486,742	12,244,173
1975-76	249,999,369	66,296,878	45,016,588	45,918,260	13,411,212
1976-77	268,857,097	69,529,904	47,862,663	48,845,248	12,859,866
1977-78	295,151,909	75,610,715	52,743,522	52,101,811	15,390,995
1978-79	325,008,253	84,068,156	55,781,524	57,835,031	17,054,865

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,847,977.20
1966-67	2,143,470.20
1967-68	2,391,604.30
1968-69	2,589,770.20
1969-70	2,970,412.20
1970-71	3,156,910.20
1971-72	3,540,457.40
1972-73	4,056,599.70
1973-74	4,447,078.50
1974-75	4,906,854.50
1975-76	5,516,370.30
1976-77	5,984,307.80
1977-78	6,647,083.50
1978-79	7,211,344.20

Founded 1752

Orange

County Seat: Hillsborough
Elevation: 543 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Carrboro, Chapel Hill (Part), Hillsborough, Mebane (Part)

AREA (thousands of acres)

LAND	253.7
WATER	1.1
TOTAL	254.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	154.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	74.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	14.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	42,970		
1970	57,567	1.5%	7114
1971	60,396	2.7	874
1972	63,670	4.5	536
1973	65,087	1.5	448
1974	67,918	3.7	449
1975	67,226	- 1.7	429
1976	67,958	0.5	372
1977	68,330	- 0.1	413
1978	67,990	- 1.1	435

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,187
1971	3,466
1972	3,615
1973	4,028
1974	4,407
1975	4,962
1976	5,427
1977	6,078
1978	6,770

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	26,719
REPUBLICAN	4,786
OTHER	1,908
TOTAL	33,413

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	27,500	26,540	960	3.5%
1971	28,590	27,640	950	3.3
1972	30,590	29,730	860	2.8
1973	32,010	31,180	830	2.6
1974	33,790	32,930	860	2.5
1975	34,740	33,270	1,470	4.2
1976	35,340	33,850	1,490	4.2
1977	36,960	35,410	1,550	4.2
1978	37,990	36,850	1,140	3.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	17,260	1,190	16,070
1971	18,730	1,460	17,270
1972	19,230	1,760	17,470
1973	20,680	1,990	18,690
1974	22,900	2,180	20,720
1975	22,790	2,060	20,730
1976	24,140	2,070	22,070
1977	27,070	2,100	24,970
1978	30,250	3,040	27,210

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	306	18
1966	NA	366	13
1967	NA	368	25
1968	NA	368	23
1969	NA	388	16
1970	NA	380	14
1971	NA	381	17
1972	167	388	27
1973	NA	396	17
1974	176	396	7
1975	NA	494	18
1976	215	674	11
1977	NA	674	11
1978	259	665	9
1979	NA	665	18

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 685	$ 70	300	4
1965 THRU 1969	6,050	2,310	325	188
1970 THRU 1974	7,755	5,957	765	245
1975 THRU 1979	3,325	6,523	100	76

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	43,574	$ 9,338,394
1966	43,751	9,966,929
1967	45,103	10,470,427
1968	44,443	10,162,195
1969	43,424	12,591,584
1970	42,721	11,648,000
1971	42,135	11,583,000
1972	41,059	11,852,000
1973	39,432	14,376,000
1974	39,029	18,767,000
1975	39,239	15,553,000
1976	37,972	18,492,000
1977	37,981	17,473,000
1978	NA	20,320,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	810	218	146	NA
1966-67	872	210	129	NA
1967-68	887	202	131	21
1968-69	924	197	149	22
1969-70	1,063	190	183	19
1970-71	1,295	192	212	20
1971-72	1,211	187	213	20
1972-73	1,027	174	212	22
1973-74	936	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	927	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	973	417	414	23
1976-77	1,043	412	424	25
1977-78	1,117	412	421	27
1978-79	1,111	371	427	25

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	86	18	143	18
1969	76	17	174	10
1970	86	17	193	13
1971	70	17	222	9
1972	84	25	249	6
1973	85	16	301	NA
1974	69	19	308	17
1975	80	28	378	11
1976	82	15	440	9
1977	87	18	NA	10
1978	93	32	NA	7
1979	84	26	355	6

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	97.69
MUNICIPAL	20.07
TOTAL	117.76
SECONDARY	
RURAL	615.78
MUNICIPAL	21.02
TOTAL	636.80
PAVED	525.63
UNPAVED	228.93
TOTAL	754.56

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	17,402	654	334	21
1966	18,886	774	388	21
1967	20,370	861	415	17
1968	22,253	983	476	10
1969	23,909	1,184	491	9
1970	25,188	1,212	450	14
1971	27,284	1,294	487	20
1972	29,614	1,293	592	20
1973	31,992	1,342	726	21
1974	33,531	1,232	652	17
1975	36,063	1,413	767	21
1976	38,221	1,440	876	8
1977	41,142	1,451	776	13
1978	43,871	1,740	968	10
1979	45,938	1,895	990	15

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	9,576	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	9,607	NA	658	168
1967-68	9,833	495	786	179
1968-69	10,039	427	990	166
1969-70	9,972	533	1,068	170
1970-71	9,938	794	1,097	149
1971-72	9,925	684	1,264	183
1972-73	10,011	859	1,273	183
1973-74	10,710	800	1,251	160
1974-75	10,696	1,362	1,415	189
1975-76	11,040	1,357	1,502	222
1976-77	11,273	1,270	1,465	215
1977-78	11,234	1,378	1,532	218
1978-79	11,063	1,741	1,514	248
1979-80	10,915	1,272	1,518	238

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 61,196,342	$ 19,721,805	$ 10,195,996	$ 10,465,699	$ 4,056,012
1966-67	68,778,132	22,662,504	13,121,149	11,522,782	3,003,714
1967-68	78,105,827	25,505,443	14,258,604	13,164,235	3,203,893
1968-69	89,630,001	28,464,014	15,892,576	14,990,878	3,831,620
1969-70	96,314,309	32,844,053	16,756,737	15,655,679	3,519,248
1970-71	105,418,267	38,232,938	17,927,104	15,758,170	4,262,893
1971-72	117,646,667	42,741,875	19,978,408	17,262,473	5,169,356
1972-73	130,868,163	47,481,345	20,967,232	19,284,218	6,205,026
1973-74	151,008,770	53,034,724	27,836,939	21,429,767	6,361,809
1974-75	160,489,340	62,258,769	30,735,871	22,799,852	6,054,674
1975-76	177,405,423	71,063,017	33,358,869	23,736,119	6,730,143
1976-77	195,450,098	77,985,082	35,369,111	25,177,756	9,716,599
1977-78	227,968,947	90,581,933	41,986,648	26,860,962	14,101,065
1978-79	256,992,308	104,831,815	45,901,021	28,823,883	18,166,185

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,342,341.70
1966-67	1,558,393.90
1967-68	1,810,789.90
1968-69	2,062,691.10
1969-70	2,308,182.80
1970-71	2,589,300.30
1971-72	2,919,635.30
1972-73	3,263,358.20
1973-74	3,788,390.80
1974-75	4,070,178.80
1975-76	4,368,268.30
1976-77	4,812,476.60
1977-78	5,626,502.30
1978-79	6,381,942.60

Founded 1872

Pamlico

County Seat: Bayboro
Elevation: 13 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Alliance, Arapahoe, Bayboro, Hollyville, Mesic, Minnesott Beach, Oriental, Stonewall, Vandemere

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	213.4
WATER	151.0
TOTAL	364.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	157.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	33.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	9,850		
1970	9,467	- 1.1%	708
1971	9,416	- 1.1	74
1972	9,336	- 1.5	57
1973	9,410	0.4	34
1974	9,298	- 1.3	14
1975	9,445	1.4	13
1976	9,557	0.8	32
1977	9,790	1.9	48
1978	9,980	1.6	32

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,176
1971	2,302
1972	2,715
1973	3,292
1974	3,646
1975	3,993
1976	4,490
1977	4,830
1978	5,339

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	4,225
REPUBLICAN	481
OTHER	52
TOTAL	4,758

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	3,030	2,760	270	8.9%
1971	2,970	2,760	210	7.1
1972	3,170	2,970	200	6.3
1973	3,180	2,920	260	8.2
1974	3,400	3,080	320	9.4
1975	3,370	3,010	360	10.7
1976	3,440	3,110	330	9.6
1977	3,570	3,170	400	11.2
1978	3,750	3,490	260	6.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	1,160	400	760
1971	1,280	410	870
1972	1,270	450	820
1973	1,360	440	920
1974	1,420	420	1,000
1975	1,510	270	1,240
1976	1,690	310	1,380
1977	1,650	300	1,350
1978	1,730	390	1,340

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	10
1966	NA	0	8
1967	NA	0	2
1968	NA	0	1
1969	NA	0	5
1970	NA	0	5
1971	NA	0	3
1972	2	0	3
1973	NA	0	2
1974	2	0	2
1975	NA	0	0
1976	1	0	2
1977	NA	0	2
1978	3	0	1
1979	NA	0	2

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 0	0	0
1965 THRU 1969	55	0	65	0
1970 THRU 1974	59	230	50	73
1975 THRU 1979	200	0	6	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	30,785	$ 5,047,636
1966	31,007	4,549,204
1967	31,886	5,226,195
1968	31,012	5,330,478
1969	29,897	5,529,000
1970	29,752	5,188,000
1971	33,553	4,546,000
1972	32,526	5,467,000
1973	NA	8,146,000
1974	30,579	9,397,000
1975	NA	9,548,000
1976	33,723	10,341,000
1977	34,510	10,776,000
1978	NA	10,199,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	247	133	50	NA
1966-67	254	134	49	NA
1967-68	248	135	53	9
1968-69	248	123	57	9
1969-70	258	119	51	8
1970-71	318	110	51	5
1971-72	323	103	56	4
1972-73	279	87	49	3
1973-74	251	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	234	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	256	249	149	4
1976-77	306	237	151	4
1977-78	309	214	161	4
1978-79	352	207	165	4

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	5	2	36	4
1969	6	3	52	0
1970	8	3	64	6
1971	5	2	75	1
1972	9	5	67	0
1973	7	4	160	NA
1974	9	4	65	1
1975	10	5	90	0
1976	17	4	100	0
1977	19	3	NA	3
1978	14	6	NA	0
1979	6	3	57	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	47.53
MUNICIPAL	11.67
TOTAL	59.20
SECONDARY	
RURAL	191.15
MUNICIPAL	12.47
TOTAL	203.62
PAVED	188.12
UNPAVED	74.70
TOTAL	262.82

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	3,118	107	68	6
1966	3,246	99	70	1
1967	3,478	135	84	4
1968	3,646	104	87	5
1969	3,833	124	70	4
1970	3,836	121	67	3
1971	4,120	117	74	6
1972	4,360	143	71	1
1973	4,692	136	80	3
1974	4,943	135	101	7
1975	5,315	163	99	1
1976	5,780	152	105	2
1977	5,933	180	126	5
1978	6,340	180	132	1
1979	6,659	154	109	5

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall)	
			Public	Private
1965-66	2,697	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	2,704	NA	82	30
1967-68	2,624	413	75	33
1968-69	2,630	449	76	43
1969-70	2,609	587	80	46
1970-71	2,499	503	101	40
1971-72	2,439	411	105	40
1972-73	2,348	630	102	37
1973-74	2,352	406	115	31
1974-75	2,390	484	102	48
1975-76	2,394	465	81	35
1976-77	2,401	432	97	31
1977-78	2,331	605	97	39
1978-79	2,257	487	103	44
1979-80	2,238	405	102	31

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 5,638,100	$ 1,921,754	$ 1,432,165	$ 1,163,183	$ 27,182
1966-67	6,027,425	1,912,223	1,644,630	1,415,216	25,159
1967-68	6,379,511	1,839,682	1,748,716	1,670,545	28,001
1968-69	6,674,885	2,043,063	1,814,139	1,777,159	42,728
1969-70	8,008,818	2,242,483	2,917,197	1,822,984	26,800
1970-71	7,562,126	2,497,387	2,076,080	1,889,586	23,434
1971-72	8,037,529	2,820,607	2,147,719	1,829,711	23,268
1972-73	29,097,180	2,864,779	2,507,053	22,183,022	28,867
1973-74	10,790,094	3,592,207	2,899,935	2,145,853	65,508
1974-75	11,950,657	4,405,811	2,853,465	2,415,357	38,156
1975-76	14,544,920	5,331,154	3,573,544	2,576,779	39,698
1976-77	15,675,710	5,615,051	3,466,188	2,978,848	53,426
1977-78	16,964,328	6,101,406	3,561,140	3,336,521	79,325
1978-79	18,278,034	6,755,431	3,481,934	3,346,002	136,333

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 117,656.20
1966-67	128,847.70
1967-68	134,278.20
1968-69	142,085.10
1969-70	176,227.20
1970-71	164,774.20
1971-72	181,261.70
1972-73	202,746.10
1973-74	240,622.20
1974-75	260,638.00
1975-76	310,380.10
1976-77	332,680.80
1977-78	360,368.40
1978-79	389,425.00

Founded 1668

Pasquotank

County Seat: Elizabeth City
Elevation: 12 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Elizabeth City

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	146.1
WATER	42.0
TOTAL	188.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	78.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	57.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	5.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	25,630		
1970	26,824	- 0.6%	2838
1971	27,242	0.7	197
1972	27,177	- 0.8	155
1973	27,325	0.1	134
1974	27,861	1.5	123
1975	27,815	- 0.6	119
1976	28,317	1.5	91
1977	28,577	0.5	124
1978	28,533	- 0.8	175

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,697
1971	2,787
1972	3,246
1973	3,908
1974	4,061
1975	4,347
1976	4,765
1977	5,073
1978	5,533

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	9,079
REPUBLICAN	753
OTHER	204
TOTAL	10,036

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	10,230	9,580	650	6.4%
1971	10,510	9,800	710	6.8
1972	10,670	10,010	660	6.2
1973	10,890	10,370	520	4.8
1974	10,620	10,140	480	4.5
1975	11,330	10,530	800	7.1
1976	11,700	11,130	570	4.9
1977	11,940	11,280	660	5.5
1978	11,920	11,420	500	4.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	7,820	1,690	6,130
1971	7,850	1,600	6,250
1972	8,000	1,690	6,310
1973	8,390	1,830	6,560
1974	8,780	1,890	6,890
1975	8,800	1,510	7,290
1976	9,310	1,620	7,690
1977	9,530	1,390	8,140
1978	9,690	1,510	8,180

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	150	12
1966	NA	150	10
1967	NA	150	11
1968	NA	150	16
1969	NA	150	6
1970	NA	150	9
1971	NA	150	14
1972	11	150	2
1973	NA	150	5
1974	13	150	11
1975	NA	150	12
1976	17	150	8
1977	NA	150	7
1978	20	150	7
1979	NA	195	12

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,130	$ 325	1,555	267
1965 THRU 1969	3,500	751	350	30
1970 THRU 1974	1,200	508	30	2
1975 THRU 1979	850	655	90	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	47,834	$ 9,782,581
1966	48,409	7,656,828
1967	49,231	7,797,378
1968	48,789	9,509,906
1969	48,348	11,272,198
1970	49,412	8,540,000
1971	49,460	7,151,000
1972	50,134	10,245,000
1973	51,205	19,289,000
1974	51,993	19,474,000
1975	50,965	18,821,000
1976	52,645	19,663,000
1977	54,681	18,558,000
1978	NA	17,444,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	373	223	90	NA
1966-67	338	202	94	NA
1967-68	399	191	100	49
1968-69	428	185	111	48
1969-70	513	174	116	47
1970-71	677	154	120	42
1971-72	688	149	133	38
1972-73	713	136	139	35
1973-74	736	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	858	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	979	438	334	27
1976-77	1,037	384	317	24
1977-78	1,020	371	303	23
1978-79	1,014	367	311	26

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	45	8	104	8
1969	60	14	95	11
1970	51	17	70	10
1971	53	19	97	3
1972	75	21	91	2
1973	68	16	79	NA
1974	69	16	63	10
1975	74	13	116	7
1976	61	14	129	1
1977	86	13	NA	2
1978	70	44	NA	6
1979	69	26	133	5

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	32.93
MUNICIPAL	7.33
TOTAL	40.26
SECONDARY	
RURAL	218.03
MUNICIPAL	4.35
TOTAL	222.38
PAVED	200.09
UNPAVED	62.55
TOTAL	262.64

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	10,689	445	197	4
1966	10,699	485	234	2
1967	11,302	513	266	7
1968	11,745	524	242	7
1969	12,039	607	307	8
1970	12,450	586	292	5
1971	13,234	625	269	4
1972	14,082	524	246	8
1973	14,146	528	289	4
1974	15,409	602	287	4
1975	16,185	659	343	7
1976	16,925	681	312	8
1977	17,958	681	320	6
1978	18,936	717	289	5
1979	19,325	692	288	5

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	6,477	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	6,389	NA	354	66
1967-68	6,586	667	344	73
1968-69	6,511	1,335	367	69
1969-70	6,513	1,010	375	69
1970-71	6,515	1,665	428	68
1971-72	6,499	854	456	62
1972-73	6,264	1,465	479	46
1973-74	6,222	1,298	509	41
1974-75	6,117	1,334	596	33
1975-76	6,146	1,436	682	41
1976-77	6,169	1,207	610	53
1977-78	6,099	1,251	609	68
1978-79	5,845	1,622	595	72
1979-80	5,705	1,347	600	113

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 48,031,213	$ 12,259,011	$ 8,372,655	$ 7,440,157	$ 5,270,582
1966-67	46,751,327	12,532,105	9,149,269	7,488,663	3,771,736
1967-68	48,852,030	12,659,159	9,255,391	8,305,940	4,157,347
1968-69	53,955,890	13,838,569	11,015,062	9,301,063	4,008,553
1969-70	59,567,038	15,040,476	13,205,202	10,168,861	3,852,682
1970-71	64,065,134	16,943,857	14,621,388	10,313,202	3,973,929
1971-72	69,238,639	17,542,959	15,518,418	10,562,911	5,214,912
1972-73	80,878,950	21,102,873	17,936,973	12,074,540	6,528,340
1973-74	92,325,828	24,390,659	19,701,817	13,262,146	7,601,267
1974-75	101,511,712	28,337,931	21,208,146	16,044,524	7,648,305
1975-76	110,920,611	31,065,815	21,448,824	17,415,582	8,636,326
1976-77	128,470,619	32,892,912	24,493,313	21,414,102	10,969,441
1977-78	140,672,671	37,357,555	26,486,172	24,032,726	12,633,128
1978-79	155,167,379	41,517,930	29,813,642	26,508,167	15,959,886

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,048,368.40
1966-67	1,038,762.90
1967-68	1,081,834.90
1968-69	1,196,736.60
1969-70	1,363,022.40
1970-71	1,473,920.40
1971-72	1,611,735.70
1972-73	1,913,055.90
1973-74	2,159,413.60
1974-75	2,351,837.20
1975-76	2,573,425.50
1976-77	2,939,683.40
1977-78	3,223,378.50
1978-79	3,532,811.10

Founded 1875

Pender

County Seat: Burgaw
Elevation: 49 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Atkinson, Burgaw, Surf City, Topsail Beach, Watha

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	544.1
WATER	6.9
TOTAL	551.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	448.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	60.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	4.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	18,508		
1970	18,149	- 1.0%	1563
1971	18,198	- 0.3	111
1972	18,520	1.2	108
1973	19,373	3.9	127
1974	19,986	2.5	119
1975	20,469	1.9	112
1976	20,982	1.9	116
1977	21,410	1.6	99
1978	21,776	1.2	100

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,376
1971	2,527
1972	2,837
1973	3,213
1974	3,439
1975	3,750
1976	4,045
1977	4,308
1978	4,740

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	8,378
REPUBLICAN	1,121
OTHER	223
TOTAL	9,722

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	6,960	6,500	460	6.6%
1971	6,870	6,330	540	7.9
1972	7,220	6,810	410	5.7
1973	7,370	6,850	520	7.1
1974	7,030	6,410	620	8.8
1975	7,190	6,240	950	13.2
1976	7,690	7,000	690	9.0
1977	8,100	7,380	720	8.9
1978	8,500	8,040	460	5.4

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,490	580	1,910
1971	2,450	530	1,920
1972	2,610	610	2,000
1973	2,650	580	2,070
1974	2,560	480	2,080
1975	2,450	290	2,160
1976	2,790	320	2,470
1977	3,080	350	2,730
1978	3,430	550	2,880

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	33	15
1966	NA	48	13
1967	NA	48	8
1968	NA	48	8
1969	NA	48	5
1970	NA	48	6
1971	NA	48	3
1972	3	48	7
1973	NA	48	7
1974	3	48	6
1975	NA	48	4
1976	3	48	5
1977	NA	48	6
1978	3	48	13
1979	NA	41	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 483	$ 49	277	15
1965 THRU 1969	575	120	618	10
1970 THRU 1974	250	25	15	2
1975 THRU 1979	240	365	150	35

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	51,836	$ 17,719,633
1966	53,472	21,153,653
1967	55,339	20,922,211
1968	57,290	17,185,405
1969	54,940	20,410,240
1970	52,527	16,878,000
1971	55,363	15,695,000
1972	54,685	16,161,000
1973	53,359	20,448,000
1974	51,781	21,832,000
1975	52,063	21,574,000
1976	52,297	22,094,000
1977	59,726	22,150,000
1978	NA	25,267,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	334	196	79	NA
1966-67	327	182	83	NA
1967-68	290	174	78	20
1968-69	241	157	86	15
1969-70	240	156	93	18
1970-71	296	130	102	15
1971-72	535	117	122	19
1972-73	599	104	132	16
1973-74	558	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	560	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	691	537	367	22
1976-77	845	501	389	22
1977-78	861	481	404	21
1978-79	938	455	421	25

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	23	7	66	1
1969	35	7	74	0
1970	28	7	86	4
1971	36	5	99	4
1972	30	9	113	5
1973	26	14	122	NA
1974	45	9	97	4
1975	64	12	115	3
1976	59	16	115	0
1977	46	10	NA	2
1978	52	17	NA	1
1979	31	18	116	4

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	168.21
MUNICIPAL	14.78
TOTAL	182.99
SECONDARY	
RURAL	459.78
MUNICIPAL	20.17
TOTAL	479.95
PAVED	543.09
UNPAVED	119.85
TOTAL	662.94

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	6,665	252	163	10
1966	6,979	337	216	17
1967	7,455	385	267	22
1968	7,963	387	303	14
1969	8,269	420	257	12
1970	8,423	417	257	9
1971	9,086	390	182	20
1972	9,841	368	255	18
1973	10,607	403	282	12
1974	11,261	374	272	8
1975	11,931	409	304	6
1976	12,810	503	346	12
1977	13,512	456	329	12
1978	14,320	488	395	6
1979	14,898	502	373	10

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	5,139	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	5,086	NA	170	48
1967-68	5,092	521	151	55
1968-69	5,021	1,082	145	55
1969-70	4,873	1,320	166	47
1970-71	4,763	1,520	200	41
1971-72	4,676	1,492	211	41
1972-73	4,638	1,364	211	41
1973-74	4,813	1,042	196	41
1974-75	4,805	2,308	232	40
1975-76	4,987	1,910	249	38
1976-77	5,214	706	263	30
1977-78	5,192	631	296	32
1978-79	5,236	718	305	34
1979-80	5,052	395	308	39

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 13,451,505	$ 3,105,666	$ 3,443,061	$ 3,640,174	$ 304,269
1966-67	15,379,915	3,284,561	3,937,254	4,071,900	359,112
1967-68	15,784,039	4,104,183	3,950,468	3,943,497	294,752
1968-69	17,319,102	4,820,777	4,085,703	4,343,543	322,735
1969-70	19,065,340	5,157,990	5,034,165	4,729,294	331,670
1970-71	20,432,672	5,076,014	5,532,401	5,101,302	578,418
1971-72	24,042,981	6,085,280	6,096,308	4,936,925	1,235,062
1972-73	27,487,031	6,573,211	7,233,196	5,440,198	1,253,351
1973-74	33,853,823	7,275,129	10,764,624	5,958,998	1,326,586
1974-75	36,536,356	7,395,301	11,814,001	6,098,542	1,478,799
1975-76	40,346,464	8,245,941	12,060,844	7,310,060	1,524,131
1976-77	44,286,065	9,034,596	13,519,404	8,264,146	2,054,491
1977-78	44,747,643	10,512,948	11,326,258	8,735,171	2,866,039
1978-79	48,597,876	10,656,589	13,028,573	9,792,770	3,922,603

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 238,507.40
1966-67	267,353.40
1967-68	282,409.90
1968-69	327,571.00
1969-70	360,036.10
1970-71	385,411.40
1971-72	466,498.20
1972-73	524,781.20
1973-74	633,349.00
1974-75	634,336.30
1975-76	702,581.60
1976-77	760,313.10
1977-78	790,725.70
1978-79	879,270.60

Founded 1668

Perquimans

County Seat: Hertford
Elevation: 15 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	166.5
WATER	57.2
TOTAL	223.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	95.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	62.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	3.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	9,178		
1970	8,351	- 1.6%	558
1971	8,468	0.7	41
1972	8,434	- 0.7	24
1973	8,480	0.6	- 4
1974	8,394	- 1.0	1
1975	9,063	7.9	6
1976	8,679	- 4.3	5
1977	8,731	0.3	23
1978	8,995	2.5	45

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,297
1971	2,151
1972	2,745
1973	3,742
1974	4,111
1975	3,637
1976	4,469
1977	4,453
1978	5,361

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	3,501
REPUBLICAN	191
OTHER	39
TOTAL	3,731

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	2,970	2,790	180	6.1%
1971	2,970	2,820	150	5.1
1972	3,010	2,830	180	6.0
1973	2,960	2,840	120	4.1
1974	2,990	2,870	120	4.0
1975	3,260	3,060	200	6.1
1976	3,320	3,140	180	5.4
1977	3,060	2,890	170	5.6
1978	3,430	3,290	140	4.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	1,270	290	980
1971	1,320	300	1,020
1972	1,290	330	960
1973	1,310	310	1,000
1974	1,360	360	1,000
1975	1,440	430	1,010
1976	1,450	450	1,000
1977	1,380	380	1,000
1978	1,660	450	1,210

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	0	4
1966	NA	0	2
1967	NA	0	4
1968	NA	0	1
1969	NA	0	4
1970	NA	0	4
1971	NA	0	0
1972	0	0	0
1973	NA	0	2
1974	1	0	3
1975	NA	0	2
1976	1	0	0
1977	NA	0	0
1978	2	0	1
1979	NA	0	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 118	$ 25	39	1
1965 THRU 1969	0	7	0	0
1970 THRU 1974	270	750	155	250
1975 THRU 1979	75	50	125	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	51,010	$ 9,461,485
1966	53,220	9,107,620
1967	53,325	7,332,104
1968	53,152	8,046,533
1969	54,727	8,866,502
1970	54,351	7,837,000
1971	57,061	6,766,000
1972	56,050	9,103,000
1973	55,396	15,033,000
1974	58,341	18,762,000
1975	57,801	15,831,000
1976	59,919	19,280,000
1977	61,561	17,556,000
1978	NA	18,989,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	261	149	75	NA
1966-67	271	140	78	NA
1967-68	267	138	88	11
1968-69	290	130	88	10
1969-70	293	120	88	10
1970-71	330	116	91	11
1971-72	352	113	89	11
1972-73	362	105	91	10
1973-74	306	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	277	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	299	255	205	8
1976-77	310	227	188	8
1977-78	298	222	192	8
1978-79	312	217	174	6

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	17	3	41	5
1969	17	2	28	5
1970	17	1	26	1
1971	10	3	27	1
1972	12	6	20	0
1973	16	8	22	NA
1974	19	5	21	0
1975	9	5	29	4
1976	19	7	30	0
1977	21	3	NA	0
1978	19	12	NA	1
1979	24	11	48	3

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	23.62
MUNICIPAL	8.02
TOTAL	31.64
SECONDARY	
RURAL	257.02
MUNICIPAL	3.95
TOTAL	260.97
PAVED	209.39
UNPAVED	83.22
TOTAL	292.61

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	3,665	94	52	2
1966	3,869	123	57	7
1967	4,051	118	91	7
1968	4,170	143	63	4
1969	4,285	116	54	3
1970	4,339	158	62	1
1971	4,576	156	73	5
1972	4,835	141	81	0
1973	5,166	164	109	2
1974	5,420	145	80	5
1975	5,652	142	81	2
1976	6,075	155	99	1
1977	6,356	168	86	4
1978	6,766	174	89	4
1979	6,993	173	115	3

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

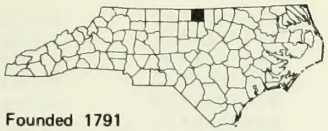
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	2,492	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	2,453	NA	111	18
1967-68	2,433	165	102	28
1968-69	2,362	235	98	26
1969-70	2,241	345	85	15
1970-71	2,205	285	97	24
1971-72	2,128	217	102	19
1972-73	2,100	252	95	22
1973-74	2,085	265	113	15
1974-75	2,075	325	112	14
1975-76	2,004	371	127	17
1976-77	2,012	355	122	8
1977-78	1,938	379	116	29
1978-79	1,861	420	124	23
1979-80	1,801	379	128	22

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 12,810,525	$ 1,992,915	$ 2,352,766	$ 2,720,996	$ 291,123
1966-67	13,052,751	2,166,237	2,312,090	2,764,700	328,504
1967-68	12,686,118	2,201,676	2,523,819	2,496,208	480,058
1968-69	13,440,480	2,306,188	2,325,420	2,803,594	501,042
1969-70	13,666,896	2,583,513	2,180,289	2,941,469	553,822
1970-71	13,273,115	2,551,214	2,334,381	3,040,260	599,906
1971-72	14,470,097	2,978,763	2,340,451	3,057,860	711,806
1972-73	16,051,769	3,021,613	1,812,139	3,163,615	782,626
1973-74	19,998,987	3,807,855	2,151,188	3,635,964	959,331
1974-75	22,562,976	4,169,555	2,528,395	4,708,678	1,077,922
1975-76	22,789,028	4,571,630	3,075,538	4,391,230	1,472,305
1976-77	26,732,715	5,008,377	3,658,183	4,531,889	1,300,878
1977-78	27,270,677	5,700,073	3,916,091	5,402,110	1,295,259
1978-79	28,214,804	5,533,444	5,704,287	6,338,284	1,174,401

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 194,046.40
1966-67	198,032.40
1967-68	203,645.20
1968-69	220,842.70
1969-70	248,163.60
1970-71	241,776.80
1971-72	277,044.70
1972-73	306,060.90
1973-74	364,753.10
1974-75	397,186.40
1975-76	425,645.30
1976-77	466,697.00
1977-78	486,692.90
1978-79	500,689.80



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Person

County Seat: Roxboro
Elevation: 671 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	251.6
WATER	1.1
TOTAL	252.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	158.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	78.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	7.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	26,394		
1970	25,914	- 1.4%	3150
1971	26,205	- 0.1	331
1972	26,719	1.0	259
1973	26,976	0.2	190
1974	27,037	- 0.3	141
1975	26,715	- 1.7	135
1976	26,803	- 0.2	131
1977	26,976	0.1	150
1978	27,202	0.3	144

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,722
1971	2,898
1972	3,168
1973	3,599
1974	3,935
1975	4,170
1976	4,882
1977	5,192
1978	5,864

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	11,328
REPUBLICAN	1,088
OTHER	155
TOTAL	12,571

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	11,590	10,800	790	6.8%
1971	11,640	10,700	940	8.1
1972	12,190	11,510	680	5.6
1973	12,720	12,110	610	4.8
1974	12,830	11,650	1,180	9.2
1975	13,070	11,000	2,070	15.8
1976	13,030	11,980	1,050	8.1
1977	13,350	12,410	940	7.0
1978	13,670	12,950	720	5.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	7,190	4,100	3,090
1971	7,940	4,000	3,940
1972	9,600	4,320	5,280
1973	9,940	4,780	5,160
1974	9,170	4,610	4,560
1975	7,530	3,740	3,790
1976	8,290	4,300	3,990
1977	8,790	4,520	4,270
1978	9,320	4,910	4,410

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	95	16
1966	NA	95	13
1967	NA	95	14
1968	NA	95	11
1969	NA	95	14
1970	NA	95	14
1971	NA	91	7
1972	4	91	13
1973	NA	90	12
1974	4	90	2
1975	NA	86	8
1976	7	86	3
1977	NA	86	11
1978	6	86	7
1979	NA	86	7

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 4,200	$ 2,995	500	437
1965 THRU 1969	151	9,485	59	751
1970 THRU 1974	8,090	1,580	385	234
1975 THRU 1979	2,200	26,455	440	567

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	60,380	$ 12,872,489
1966	59,895	11,260,082
1967	58,684	13,868,479
1968	59,589	11,386,378
1969	57,627	15,524,779
1970	57,206	14,221,000
1971	56,750	14,504,000
1972	50,846	14,778,000
1973	56,468	18,750,000
1974	55,498	21,762,000
1975	53,704	20,058,000
1976	51,883	25,719,000
1977	NA	22,049,000
1978	NA	25,464,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,142	342	220	NA
1966-67	1,207	344	226	NA
1967-68	1,193	359	233	33
1968-69	1,120	348	236	38
1969-70	1,155	342	249	41
1970-71	1,239	318	250	42
1971-72	1,365	301	282	45
1972-73	1,212	266	272	41
1973-74	1,014	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,063	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,146	557	453	35
1976-77	1,276	512	456	38
1977-78	1,190	489	466	37
1978-79	1,114	456	464	32

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	47	14	144	7
1969	60	20	181	11
1970	62	12	150	6
1971	43	15	141	1
1972	43	13	149	5
1973	35	12	132	NA
1974	37	13	137	2
1975	38	21	137	3
1976	60	27	141	3
1977	68	20	NA	4
1978	36	41	NA	4
1979	38	20	122	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	88.50
MUNICIPAL	7.13
TOTAL	95.63
SECONDARY	
RURAL	558.64
MUNICIPAL	10.28
TOTAL	568.92
PAVED	377.33
UNPAVED	287.22
TOTAL	664.55

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	10,351	419	232	9
1966	11,200	474	294	9
1967	11,507	508	350	15
1968	12,273	545	347	10
1969	12,702	582	284	13
1970	13,087	584	293	11
1971	13,720	504	260	8
1972	14,872	538	302	8
1973	15,904	686	422	8
1974	16,535	650	350	19
1975	16,744	648	330	5
1976	17,794	707	363	12
1977	18,452	693	382	7
1978	19,368	712	357	7
1979	20,051	640	374	4

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

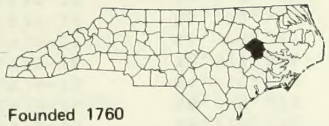
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	7,492	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	7,364	NA	228	118
1967-68	7,324	267	234	135
1968-69	7,132	312	233	125
1969-70	7,133	237	227	126
1970-71	7,078	963	252	111
1971-72	7,001	1,309	255	134
1972-73	6,871	746	299	113
1973-74	7,034	1,226	321	78
1974-75	6,823	1,487	331	104
1975-76	6,666	1,523	357	87
1976-77	6,540	966	358	108
1977-78	6,486	1,194	380	107
1978-79	6,373	886	402	113
1979-80	6,205	992	356	124

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 30,326,848	$ 6,680,788	$ 5,579,031	$ 6,907,729	$ 2,692,371
1966-67	31,077,140	6,906,205	6,070,128	7,439,754	2,101,887
1967-68	33,706,680	7,856,167	6,404,194	7,803,136	2,114,505
1968-69	37,936,358	8,100,328	7,006,959	8,489,405	2,681,961
1969-70	41,824,427	9,094,644	8,103,543	9,275,884	2,931,210
1970-71	44,990,895	9,961,311	9,376,926	9,574,628	3,016,720
1971-72	50,667,673	10,872,020	10,051,705	10,698,041	3,342,415
1972-73	56,119,236	12,405,442	10,949,891	11,534,542	3,835,101
1973-74	64,085,879	14,830,663	13,583,501	12,436,650	4,228,178
1974-75	64,875,279	16,045,870	14,531,099	12,568,849	3,565,421
1975-76	72,917,039	19,451,626	15,068,141	13,535,038	3,992,009
1976-77	80,003,182	21,828,525	16,571,450	14,700,108	4,286,192
1977-78	86,280,619	23,337,642	17,205,738	18,137,601	4,799,094
1978-79	98,417,192	25,659,582	19,625,572	21,362,274	6,979,201

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 709,730.30
1966-67	708,151.70
1967-68	749,743.90
1968-69	832,085.10
1969-70	888,319.80
1970-71	1,069,822.90
1971-72	1,407,963.60
1972-73	1,383,432.20
1973-74	1,564,686.40
1974-75	1,430,684.10
1975-76	1,612,952.90
1976-77	1,870,393.40
1977-78	1,899,694.60
1978-79	2,258,934.00



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Pitt

County Seat: Greenville
Elevation: 64 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Ayden, Bethel, Falkland, Farmville, Fountain, Greenville, Grifton (Part), Grimesland, Simpson, Winterville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	417.8
WATER	2.0
TOTAL	419.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	191.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	172.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	25.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	69,942		
1970	73,900	- 0.6%	8405
1971	74,942	0.2	883
1972	74,076	- 1.9	565
1973	75,199	0.9	450
1974	75,488	- 0.3	517
1975	78,404	3.1	571
1976	79,290	0.4	553
1977	79,987	0.1	590
1978	80,985	0.4	672

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,786
1971	2,947
1972	3,241
1973	3,742
1974	4,203
1975	4,615
1976	5,167
1977	5,352
1978	6,127

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	24,822
REPUBLICAN	4,232
OTHER	1,038
TOTAL	30,092

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	32,520	30,690	1,830	5.6%
1971	33,520	31,540	1,980	5.9
1972	34,460	32,460	2,000	5.8
1973	36,150	34,210	1,940	5.4
1974	35,650	33,560	2,090	5.9
1975	38,210	35,790	2,420	6.3
1976	40,650	38,510	2,140	5.3
1977	41,860	39,170	2,690	6.4
1978	43,290	41,390	1,900	4.4

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	20,430	5,150	15,280
1971	22,401	5,720	16,681
1972	21,670	5,980	15,690
1973	23,490	6,270	17,220
1974	23,870	6,120	17,750
1975	25,350	6,520	18,830
1976	27,630	7,040	20,590
1977	29,030	6,870	22,160
1978	31,360	7,550	23,810

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	218	62
1966	NA	223	55
1967	NA	223	26
1968	NA	223	44
1969	NA	217	44
1970	NA	217	51
1971	NA	217	32
1972	33	217	25
1973	NA	223	23
1974	38	210	45
1975	NA	210	28
1976	48	210	21
1977	NA	356	27
1978	58	356	19
1979	NA	382	26

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 10,357	$ 4,525	1,142	995
1965 THRU 1969	11,877	9,144	1,463	440
1970 THRU 1974	32,385	11,215	1,290	450
1975 THRU 1979	51,856	36,028	686	777

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	153,850	$ 40,895,156
1966	157,069	50,047,147
1967	160,171	48,177,033
1968	157,409	44,242,553
1969	155,054	52,967,559
1970	154,454	55,927,000
1971	152,898	50,876,000
1972	151,990	56,505,000
1973	154,118	75,160,000
1974	148,621	84,935,000
1975	154,870	88,637,000
1976	162,440	95,685,000
1977	172,774	77,213,000
1978	NA	105,098,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,338	666	321	NA
1966-67	1,592	670	317	NA
1967-68	1,702	668	342	106
1968-69	2,035	642	392	99
1969-70	2,385	688	457	97
1970-71	2,702	694	525	97
1971-72	2,923	700	608	103
1972-73	2,993	601	620	102
1973-74	3,003	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	3,071	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	3,549	1,720	1,445	93
1976-77	4,254	1,600	1,481	84
1977-78	4,540	1,560	1,521	84
1978-79	4,757	1,536	1,616	82

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	262	44	419	43
1969	179	46	444	45
1970	167	49	463	50
1971	210	40	559	54
1972	159	48	631	36
1973	152	38	588	NA
1974	142	42	868	22
1975	174	58	822	16
1976	240	42	763	17
1977	156	50	NA	12
1978	193	56	NA	10
1979	184	65	619	3

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	205.36
MUNICIPAL	30.74
TOTAL	236.10
SECONDARY	
RURAL	777.95
MUNICIPAL	30.37
TOTAL	808.32
PAVED	775.35
UNPAVED	269.07
TOTAL	1,044.42

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	29,704	1,266	697	19
1966	31,437	1,389	678	18
1967	32,879	1,418	679	8
1968	34,551	1,420	649	27
1969	35,527	1,631	670	18
1970	37,182	1,690	764	31
1971	39,996	1,927	951	24
1972	42,773	1,792	952	35
1973	45,224	1,637	1,045	14
1974	47,244	1,842	1,063	29
1975	51,024	1,976	1,003	22
1976	54,546	2,049	1,007	18
1977	57,204	2,246	1,115	15
1978	59,738	2,247	1,166	9
1979	61,712	2,348	1,217	25

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

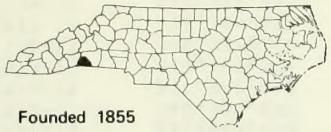
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	19,842	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	19,559	NA	983	274
1967-68	19,457	1,043	1,067	273
1968-69	19,154	2,109	1,134	226
1969-70	18,810	2,315	1,178	241
1970-71	18,483	3,125	1,353	242
1971-72	18,070	2,167	1,421	279
1972-73	17,417	2,853	1,517	273
1973-74	17,924	2,433	1,516	203
1974-75	17,827	2,995	1,647	279
1975-76	17,702	3,500	1,637	211
1976-77	17,382	3,013	1,708	206
1977-78	17,320	3,415	1,683	223
1978-79	17,071	3,782	1,675	237
1979-80	17,004	4,184	1,753	233

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 114,571,499	$ 23,306,396	$ 22,439,995	$ 18,622,779	$ 9,182,977
1966-67	124,577,769	26,954,749	25,252,676	19,831,860	8,753,475
1967-68	134,438,625	29,048,568	27,832,670	20,979,249	9,500,336
1968-69	146,629,052	31,461,051	30,825,085	23,295,888	10,641,524
1969-70	157,086,035	35,126,209	33,607,150	25,278,014	9,505,779
1970-71	173,346,690	39,379,417	36,330,436	27,173,288	10,476,309
1971-72	187,564,308	43,314,023	36,091,038	28,134,972	12,687,139
1972-73	211,944,740	48,774,835	41,830,727	29,949,109	16,231,671
1973-74	249,839,057	56,762,207	49,320,854	33,616,309	20,002,320
1974-75	278,382,445	65,098,652	58,906,448	38,097,662	19,948,221
1975-76	318,492,551	76,991,976	66,989,920	45,768,457	20,914,320
1976-77	349,637,042	88,142,418	69,126,254	51,671,430	23,595,061
1977-78	372,759,383	101,486,213	71,546,886	54,958,463	27,884,077
1978-79	426,912,143	117,784,556	80,104,838	62,263,516	33,526,159

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,384,874.10
1966-67	2,590,970.20
1967-68	2,777,757.30
1968-69	3,097,799.50
1969-70	3,402,122.20
1970-71	3,782,962.40
1971-72	4,150,460.80
1972-73	4,737,121.80
1973-74	5,537,490.10
1974-75	6,203,235.60
1975-76	6,905,935.80
1976-77	7,464,464.70
1977-78	8,227,596.40
1978-79	9,371,223.60



Founded 1855

Polk

County Seat: Columbus
Elevation: 1,145 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Columbus, Saluda, Tryon

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	149.3
WATER	0.6
TOTAL	149.9
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	113.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	25.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	3.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	11,395		
1970	11,735	- 0.2%	631
1971	11,925	1.2	20
1972	12,236	2.5	17
1973	12,445	1.7	6
1974	12,572	1.0	- 3
1975	12,662	0.9	- 27
1976	12,518	- 0.9	- 28
1977	12,710	1.8	- 29
1978	12,516	- 1.2	- 45

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,469
1971	3,682
1972	4,040
1973	4,491
1974	4,914
1975	5,263
1976	6,033
1977	6,504
1978	7,343

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	4,843
REPUBLICAN	2,767
OTHER	544
TOTAL	8,154

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	4,960	4,760	200	4.0%
1971	4,950	4,740	210	4.2
1972	4,970	4,790	180	3.6
1973	5,080	4,960	120	2.4
1974	5,240	5,040	200	3.8
1975	5,420	5,080	340	6.3
1976	5,670	5,490	180	3.2
1977	5,620	5,360	260	4.6
1978	5,370	5,180	190	3.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,830	1,120	1,710
1971	2,840	1,060	1,780
1972	2,830	1,140	1,690
1973	2,960	1,140	1,820
1974	3,100	1,140	1,960
1975	3,100	970	2,130
1976	3,360	1,060	2,300
1977	3,300	1,100	2,200
1978	3,230	1,090	2,140

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	52	5
1966	NA	52	5
1967	NA	52	9
1968	NA	52	5
1969	NA	52	3
1970	NA	53	5
1971	NA	53	5
1972	6	75	3
1973	NA	75	9
1974	8	75	7
1975	NA	75	3
1976	8	75	1
1977	NA	75	0
1978	10	75	2
1979	NA	74	3

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 475	$ 25	100	0
1965 THRU 1969	5,100	0	230	0
1970 THRU 1974	0	340	0	0
1975 THRU 1979	1,110	30	110	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	16,947	$ 2,170,928
1966	16,363	2,301,948
1967	16,974	2,322,295
1968	16,899	2,265,554
1969	14,759	2,419,270
1970	14,093	2,453,000
1971	13,379	2,250,000
1972	11,493	2,411,000
1973	12,590	3,251,000
1974	10,607	3,408,000
1975	11,512	3,789,000
1976	12,240	3,603,000
1977	10,570	3,646,000
1978	NA	5,075,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	310	204	84	NA
1966-67	254	182	80	NA
1967-68	261	170	82	10
1968-69	254	164	89	12
1969-70	257	160	89	12
1970-71	273	160	95	14
1971-72	256	155	93	15
1972-73	153	133	83	11
1973-74	126	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	182	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	254	242	118	11
1976-77	245	235	130	9
1977-78	203	238	121	9
1978-79	164	210	120	7

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	17	0	37	1
1969	26	1	42	1
1970	28	1	83	3
1971	13	5	75	0
1972	18	3	52	1
1973	11	4	54	NA
1974	8	2	56	7
1975	14	4	43	2
1976	27	2	37	0
1977	16	6	NA	0
1978	13	7	NA	1
1979	20	8	61	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	54.58
MUNICIPAL	5.41
TOTAL	59.99
SECONDARY	
RURAL	357.60
MUNICIPAL	9.29
TOTAL	366.89
PAVED	251.60
UNPAVED	175.28
TOTAL	426.88

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	5,054	174	152	4
1966	5,419	187	74	2
1967	5,601	216	115	2
1968	5,932	240	121	3
1969	6,153	273	117	2
1970	6,216	273	111	5
1971	6,568	273	159	5
1972	7,174	303	139	8
1973	7,662	278	193	3
1974	7,868	269	131	2
1975	8,100	309	187	3
1976	8,626	317	181	2
1977	9,021	281	134	1
1978	9,538	292	147	5
1979	9,843	285	176	0

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	2,740	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	2,788	NA	66	28
1967-68	2,763	92	73	21
1968-69	2,753	196	76	12
1969-70	2,644	296	76	15
1970-71	2,653	432	106	17
1971-72	2,612	280	112	26
1972-73	2,575	325	113	27
1973-74	2,600	191	107	25
1974-75	2,545	286	106	27
1975-76	2,583	370	112	31
1976-77	2,611	327	101	36
1977-78	2,507	424	116	37
1978-79	2,554	553	115	31
1979-80	2,465	578	109	39

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 11,997,504	$ 5,324,291	$ 1,387,179	$ 1,806,967	$ 877,700
1966-67	17,085,746	9,833,220	1,722,545	1,917,756	976,005
1967-68	16,899,951	9,490,304	1,839,221	2,034,840	746,620
1968-69	14,976,908	6,911,807	2,132,182	2,236,989	792,996
1969-70	15,510,124	6,893,113	2,253,903	2,534,619	797,962
1970-71	17,016,296	7,397,464	2,432,701	2,880,356	754,041
1971-72	19,135,005	7,904,958	2,576,206	4,054,294	719,206
1972-73	21,210,794	8,010,569	2,557,670	4,594,364	897,348
1973-74	22,895,048	9,050,007	2,669,229	5,202,872	716,027
1974-75	24,320,595	10,522,184	2,953,991	5,145,535	645,237
1975-76	27,858,618	11,857,885	2,936,703	6,886,927	849,062
1976-77	29,128,089	12,008,863	2,973,550	8,051,671	666,507
1977-78	30,411,817	12,872,106	2,990,673	8,311,559	590,999
1978-79	32,193,344	14,508,757	3,010,060	7,750,751	774,383

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 276,867.40
1966-67	420,305.50
1967-68	416,307.90
1968-69	347,488.80
1969-70	362,645.20
1970-71	404,797.60
1971-72	450,523.50
1972-73	479,282.30
1973-74	514,023.00
1974-75	543,759.10
1975-76	629,202.70
1976-77	649,547.50
1977-78	674,740.20
1978-79	693,622.00

Founded 1779

Randolph

County Seat: Asheboro
Elevation: 879 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Archdale (Part), Asheboro, Franklinville, High Point (Part), Liberty, Ramseur, Randleman, Seagrove, Staley

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	511.3
WATER	1.6
TOTAL	512.9
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	296.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	133.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	55.8

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	61,497		
1970	76,358	1.0%	8030
1971	78,224	1.0	945
1972	78,728	- 0.2	639
1973	80,757	1.9	565
1974	82,448	1.4	533
1975	82,519	- 0.5	485
1976	82,507	- 0.5	441
1977	83,347	0.4	478
1978	84,651	1.0	473

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,435
1971	3,660
1972	4,052
1973	4,497
1974	4,684
1975	5,055
1976	5,590
1977	6,166
1978	6,992

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	20,673
REPUBLICAN	18,659
OTHER	2,114
TOTAL	41,446

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	34,760	33,690	1,070	3.1%
1971	36,000	34,360	1,640	4.6
1972	36,910	35,830	1,080	2.9
1973	37,680	36,560	1,120	3.0
1974	41,200	39,450	1,750	4.2
1975	41,980	37,970	4,010	9.6
1976	41,930	39,470	2,460	5.9
1977	42,900	40,980	1,920	4.5
1978	43,640	42,270	1,370	3.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	26,490	17,860	8,630
1971	26,810	17,690	9,120
1972	28,310	18,170	10,140
1973	28,170	18,140	10,030
1974	28,130	17,770	10,360
1975	28,500	17,500	11,000
1976	30,800	19,370	11,430
1977	30,770	19,930	10,840
1978	32,770	20,860	11,910

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	171	36
1966	NA	152	35
1967	NA	152	21
1968	NA	152	25
1969	NA	152	27
1970	NA	152	25
1971	NA	152	24
1972	15	152	24
1973	NA	157	21
1974	15	157	17
1975	NA	157	12
1976	19	157	20
1977	NA	157	12
1978	24	157	14
1979	NA	145	17

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 3,527	$ 8,009	723	1,752
1965 THRU 1969	11,061	17,645	1,365	1,381
1970 THRU 1974	21,400	14,732	502	1,382
1975 THRU 1979	4,341	16,192	474	1,112

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	102,972	$ 20,993,662
1966	101,314	21,789,807
1967	100,877	22,423,427
1968	100,274	23,227,428
1969	97,365	26,644,243
1970	95,746	24,092,000
1971	92,162	24,881,000
1972	94,274	27,586,000
1973	82,105	43,052,000
1974	76,189	41,827,000
1975	78,780	44,943,000
1976	84,707	43,901,000
1977	80,582	44,326,000
1978	NA	48,473,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	701	314	181	NA
1966-67	717	321	205	NA
1967-68	688	311	203	56
1968-69	628	318	206	65
1969-70	721	291	233	71
1970-71	1,081	259	262	65
1971-72	1,291	256	291	71
1972-73	1,158	235	259	72
1973-74	853	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	878	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	779	735	569	55
1976-77	687	654	569	45
1977-78	633	594	564	46
1978-79	552	548	559	44

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	60	15	283	20
1969	89	19	474	28
1970	80	23	365	29
1971	102	26	373	15
1972	92	32	300	9
1973	113	26	323	NA
1974	103	27	405	17
1975	106	50	485	11
1976	97	31	479	7
1977	125	37	NA	13
1978	78	32	NA	17
1979	95	43	416	3

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	176.03
MUNICIPAL	27.51
TOTAL	203.54
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,286.18
MUNICIPAL	76.28
TOTAL	1,362.46
PAVED	1,081.97
UNPAVED	484.03
TOTAL	1,566.00

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	31,606	1,302	620	30
1966	34,737	1,392	746	26
1967	36,211	1,478	762	35
1968	38,877	1,499	683	31
1969	40,458	1,708	819	36
1970	41,807	1,767	694	31
1971	44,214	1,779	719	26
1972	47,510	1,780	972	38
1973	50,663	1,694	1,011	30
1974	52,301	1,445	938	23
1975	53,727	1,541	805	18
1976	57,078	1,762	1,019	23
1977	59,673	1,938	1,076	28
1978	62,431	2,124	1,101	25
1979	64,990	2,109	1,191	22

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	16,189	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	16,511	NA	426	385
1967-68	16,725	838	503	340
1968-69	16,984	1,432	536	294
1969-70	17,321	2,178	614	270
1970-71	17,550	2,170	627	297
1971-72	17,653	2,596	636	328
1972-73	17,886	2,850	703	301
1973-74	18,339	2,493	726	257
1974-75	18,449	2,878	704	246
1975-76	18,493	4,036	778	262
1976-77	19,068	3,356	816	296
1977-78	19,009	3,580	815	301
1978-79	18,759	3,748	785	282
1979-80	18,565	4,199	789	307

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 95,330,140	$ 22,870,782	$ 13,647,291	$ 17,540,834	$ 5,579,985
1966-67	94,486,860	25,299,643	14,448,193	18,397,460	5,140,418
1967-68	106,336,748	26,963,883	15,753,544	20,391,466	6,215,740
1968-69	113,600,607	30,165,025	17,738,642	22,844,929	6,943,790
1969-70	119,243,222	32,947,040	19,465,485	24,213,523	7,286,907
1970-71	124,574,431	35,123,264	20,632,230	25,727,544	7,589,089
1971-72	143,856,785	36,518,654	25,887,839	28,054,168	9,924,093
1972-73	157,589,069	40,325,540	25,286,766	30,070,300	13,665,809
1973-74	174,435,024	44,147,178	25,460,779	32,847,998	17,618,466
1974-75	173,763,689	47,150,978	25,158,403	34,188,596	15,078,990
1975-76	195,040,150	51,083,755	27,217,480	38,635,723	18,300,168
1976-77	218,866,696	56,211,838	30,074,834	43,736,170	21,024,852
1977-78	247,736,219	63,428,855	34,248,594	47,581,078	26,218,659
1978-79	277,846,952	74,657,257	36,023,103	53,818,213	30,604,584

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,839,333.70
1966-67	1,905,333.30
1967-68	2,121,290.60
1968-69	2,378,216.90
1969-70	2,593,950.80
1970-71	2,688,322.90
1971-72	3,066,238.20
1972-73	3,495,563.30
1973-74	3,760,850.10
1974-75	3,701,152.60
1975-76	4,161,836.00
1976-77	4,635,919.90
1977-78	5,190,703.10
1978-79	5,741,173.90

Founded 1779

Richmond

County Seat: Rockingham
Elevation: 211 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Ellerbe, Hamlet, Hoffman, Norman, Rockingham

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	304.3
WATER	2.5
TOTAL	306.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	217.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	61.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	13.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	39,202		
1970	39,889	- 0.9%	4134
1971	40,088	- 0.6	474
1972	40,503	0.3	279
1973	40,279	- 1.2	264
1974	40,556	0.1	247
1975	40,982	0.4	250
1976	41,343	0.2	269
1977	41,764	0.4	248
1978	42,489	1.2	230

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,747
1971	3,005
1972	3,249
1973	3,514
1974	3,809
1975	4,112
1976	4,596
1977	5,289
1978	5,756

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	16,598
REPUBLICAN	984
OTHER	226
TOTAL	17,808

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	17,070	15,960	1,110	6.5%
1971	16,930	15,850	1,080	6.4
1972	17,110	16,140	970	5.7
1973	16,790	15,650	1,140	6.8
1974	17,170	16,010	1,160	6.8
1975	17,690	15,290	2,400	13.6
1976	18,030	16,800	1,230	6.8
1977	18,950	17,700	1,250	6.6
1978	19,390	18,550	840	4.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	13,090	5,570	7,520
1971	13,090	5,630	7,460
1972	13,210	5,700	7,510
1973	12,930	5,530	7,400
1974	13,540	5,920	7,620
1975	12,860	5,260	7,600
1976	14,220	6,140	8,080
1977	15,070	6,620	8,450
1978	15,940	6,550	9,390

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	208	31
1966	NA	208	24
1967	NA	208	31
1968	NA	178	25
1969	NA	178	28
1970	NA	178	25
1971	NA	152	17
1972	9	152	15
1973	NA	143	16
1974	8	143	27
1975	NA	143	12
1976	12	143	15
1977	NA	143	8
1978	9	143	7
1979	NA	135	14

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,180	$ 6,494	384	349
1965 THRU 1969	1,310	5,523	535	630
1970 THRU 1974	37,998	2,455	1,442	45
1975 THRU 1979	51,147	32,650	420	223

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	50,843	$ 11,243,044
1966	48,925	12,406,825
1967	47,891	12,345,120
1968	47,243	11,719,329
1969	44,488	13,391,450
1970	43,054	11,501,000
1971	38,945	12,324,000
1972	37,734	12,250,000
1973	35,399	13,882,000
1974	32,504	12,799,000
1975	31,154	13,552,000
1976	35,137	13,917,000
1977	36,705	14,717,000
1978	NA	17,494,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,474	502	334	NA
1966-67	1,329	477	326	NA
1967-68	1,281	462	334	70
1968-69	1,211	440	327	65
1969-70	1,132	419	318	59
1970-71	1,164	388	303	60
1971-72	1,145	349	301	62
1972-73	956	317	287	55
1973-74	851	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	849	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	991	846	718	48
1976-77	1,216	787	727	41
1977-78	1,204	733	728	40
1978-79	1,218	705	775	39

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	138	22	274	19
1969	78	26	173	34
1970	118	26	335	25
1971	106	29	263	14
1972	78	32	213	17
1973	96	29	273	NA
1974	100	27	317	11
1975	90	36	387	9
1976	73	35	421	7
1977	94	34	NA	12
1978	119	41	NA	17
1979	133	39	504	6

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	98.42
MUNICIPAL	15.00
TOTAL	113.42
SECONDARY	
RURAL	598.11
MUNICIPAL	28.53
TOTAL	626.64
PAVED	631.91
UNPAVED	108.15
TOTAL	740.06

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	16,220	580	354	16
1966	17,390	687	378	10
1967	17,807	796	502	21
1968	18,923	825	387	27
1969	19,425	964	491	17
1970	19,708	954	446	22
1971	20,506	963	522	25
1972	21,874	831	506	20
1973	23,133	781	509	21
1974	23,746	764	502	18
1975	24,615	807	547	17
1976	26,323	894	569	16
1977	27,569	954	550	18
1978	28,644	994	588	15
1979	29,916	979	604	11

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	11,066	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	11,013	NA	372	144
1967-68	11,011	595	392	148
1968-69	10,904	946	422	119
1969-70	10,546	1,304	405	131
1970-71	10,370	1,586	391	121
1971-72	10,221	1,562	414	123
1972-73	9,887	1,691	475	146
1973-74	9,844	1,733	439	117
1974-75	9,888	2,011	442	127
1975-76	10,086	2,341	464	125
1976-77	10,156	1,791	443	139
1977-78	10,177	2,203	421	136
1978-79	10,156	2,241	388	119
1979-80	10,038	2,293	388	118

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 55,928,504	$ 15,792,154	$ 9,737,921	$ 9,740,261	$ 5,383,077
1966-67	47,686,581	17,285,584	1,050,668	9,719,522	4,483,879
1967-68	60,507,796	17,009,695	11,330,682	10,740,608	5,029,523
1968-69	65,822,681	16,825,638	12,534,580	11,715,893	5,862,603
1969-70	71,824,938	19,922,575	13,598,137	11,649,162	6,628,064
1970-71	74,884,063	21,745,192	14,884,326	11,935,414	7,169,698
1971-72	82,712,049	22,074,201	15,995,416	12,535,893	9,509,806
1972-73	87,977,456	23,150,917	16,673,964	12,590,781	9,602,242
1973-74	97,953,587	26,750,953	17,960,079	14,017,915	11,282,357
1974-75	101,412,594	31,187,160	18,786,591	14,390,758	10,795,425
1975-76	116,400,788	35,370,395	21,124,316	16,778,048	11,346,655
1976-77	125,360,888	38,934,263	22,235,124	16,810,123	11,793,950
1977-78	143,951,364	41,982,026	25,549,928	17,710,186	18,114,834
1978-79	158,341,098	47,220,155	26,986,093	20,963,069	19,169,965

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,314,720.00
1966-67	1,336,464.50
1967-68	1,411,007.40
1968-69	1,525,825.90
1969-70	1,666,379.50
1970-71	1,741,642.80
1971-72	1,927,957.10
1972-73	2,065,740.40
1973-74	2,253,518.20
1974-75	2,339,445.00
1975-76	2,687,924.50
1976-77	2,937,510.20
1977-78	3,302,773.10
1978-79	3,650,242.70

Founded 1787

Robeson

County Seat: Lumberton
Elevation: 137 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Fairmont, Lumber Bridge, Lumberton, Marietta, Maxton (Part), McDonald, Orrum, Parkton, Pembroke, Proctorville, Raynham, Red Springs, Rennert, Rowland, St. Pauls

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	602.5
WATER	2.6
TOTAL	605.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	317.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	242.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	29.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	89,102		
1970	84,842	- 2.1%	14243
1971	85,910	- 0.6	1724
1972	87,722	0.5	1346
1973	89,268	0.4	1229
1974	90,571	0.2	1138
1975	92,419	0.9	1075
1976	93,217	- 0.3	1084
1977	93,862	- 0.5	1148
1978	94,437	- 0.6	1129

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,323
1971	2,541
1972	2,808
1973	3,198
1974	3,496
1975	3,694
1976	4,072
1977	4,173
1978	4,956

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	42,722
REPUBLICAN	2,024
OTHER	396
TOTAL	45,142

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	34,430	31,850	2,580	7.5%
1971	35,250	32,430	2,820	8.0
1972	36,320	33,020	3,300	9.1
1973	37,080	34,790	2,290	6.2
1974	37,630	34,700	2,930	7.8
1975	39,030	32,560	6,470	16.6
1976	39,330	35,030	4,300	10.9
1977	40,500	36,520	3,980	9.8
1978	42,210	39,420	2,790	6.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	21,350	9,290	12,060
1971	22,300	9,780	12,520
1972	22,370	10,470	11,900
1973	24,060	11,410	12,650
1974	24,880	11,760	13,120
1975	22,770	9,370	13,400
1976	24,740	10,480	14,260
1977	26,610	11,280	15,330
1978	29,530	12,740	16,790

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	287	93
1966	NA	283	83
1967	NA	283	67
1968	NA	283	65
1969	NA	362	67
1970	NA	362	58
1971	NA	363	46
1972	26	363	58
1973	NA	360	53
1974	27	360	46
1975	NA	360	37
1976	35	360	34
1977	NA	360	44
1978	38	360	31
1979	NA	372	35

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 5,929	$ 1,621	2,268	227
1965 THRU 1969	26,745	17,105	3,256	1,751
1970 THRU 1974	26,072	12,004	2,877	1,744
1975 THRU 1979	282,663	24,237	3,316	2,698

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	239,291	$ 47,420,445
1966	237,323	43,138,774
1967	238,949	49,033,964
1968	240,125	48,989,046
1969	233,277	52,864,626
1970	235,158	51,474,000
1971	233,217	52,577,000
1972	232,733	59,395,000
1973	230,291	78,365,000
1974	226,279	88,276,000
1975	226,538	92,667,000
1976	218,163	91,686,000
1977	225,971	68,898,000
1978	NA	97,534,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	2,575	803	391	NA
1966-67	2,736	790	406	NA
1967-68	2,588	751	425	54
1968-69	2,829	746	443	50
1969-70	3,896	762	495	52
1970-71	4,910	750	574	56
1971-72	5,797	789	768	54
1972-73	6,328	730	871	53
1973-74	6,545	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	6,876	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	7,449	2,358	2,131	71
1976-77	7,612	2,215	2,257	68
1977-78	7,927	2,174	2,404	68
1978-79	7,390	2,125	2,498	67

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	332	76	792	37
1969	318	88	961	53
1970	357	100	872	47
1971	313	120	850	65
1972	274	139	857	66
1973	229	106	903	NA
1974	327	148	1,205	39
1975	326	177	1,318	45
1976	399	133	1,274	43
1977	315	117	NA	57
1978	284	169	NA	24
1979	295	159	1,359	24

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	293.55
MUNICIPAL	28.93
TOTAL	322.48
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,364.11
MUNICIPAL	54.57
TOTAL	1,418.68
PAVED	1,462.05
UNPAVED	279.11
TOTAL	1,741.16

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	30,722	1,461	1,122	66
1966	32,359	1,648	1,189	59
1967	33,799	1,685	996	63
1968	36,298	1,874	1,268	61
1969	37,956	2,142	1,418	66
1970	39,323	2,208	1,397	65
1971	42,356	2,300	1,382	54
1972	45,666	2,196	1,471	80
1973	49,243	1,991	1,341	66
1974	51,657	2,030	1,255	66
1975	54,355	2,068	1,317	62
1976	58,030	2,115	1,323	59
1977	60,732	2,197	1,233	40
1978	63,138	2,345	1,426	53
1979	66,138	2,270	1,417	46

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	27,465	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	27,160	NA	783	259
1967-68	27,196	847	783	273
1968-69	27,176	1,568	805	326
1969-70	26,844	2,440	875	275
1970-71	26,272	2,347	1,090	251
1971-72	25,853	2,977	1,236	244
1972-73	25,311	2,965	1,293	253
1973-74	26,261	1,869	1,395	195
1974-75	26,272	3,734	1,532	230
1975-76	26,461	3,057	1,774	222
1976-77	26,518	3,731	1,802	235
1977-78	26,640	4,134	1,897	257
1978-79	26,350	4,570	1,686	273
1979-80	26,208	2,055	1,719	271

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 100,557,915	$ 22,783,709	$ 19,825,293	$ 20,708,264	$ 5,707,454
1966-67	106,227,753	24,365,622	21,146,588	22,150,507	5,699,591
1967-68	123,202,097	26,984,069	26,157,848	25,298,987	6,978,922
1968-69	132,826,486	29,855,573	28,117,808	28,033,746	7,553,632
1969-70	142,936,165	33,300,238	30,174,332	31,294,018	6,999,636
1970-71	152,390,548	36,414,063	32,575,028	32,557,695	7,998,593
1971-72	175,027,853	39,349,334	35,532,392	36,364,714	12,664,662
1972-73	191,450,676	42,077,746	37,948,544	39,862,337	15,542,569
1973-74	218,787,466	47,497,317	45,838,487	43,744,243	18,982,708
1974-75	228,100,187	53,786,895	48,966,487	48,914,098	16,308,552
1975-76	263,056,697	65,532,844	54,949,017	53,533,920	17,197,385
1976-77	288,589,308	73,776,720	57,940,312	58,954,391	17,568,831
1977-78	306,626,348	82,077,218	58,093,390	63,198,662	20,186,827
1978-79	344,526,832	92,659,037	66,894,042	70,264,815	22,527,919

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,986,913.80
1966-67	2,138,276.80
1967-68	2,480,338.00
1968-69	2,705,652.40
1969-70	3,022,851.70
1970-71	3,297,481.70
1971-72	3,791,481.50
1972-73	4,185,354.00
1973-74	4,700,732.60
1974-75	4,828,303.40
1975-76	5,556,444.10
1976-77	6,138,456.10
1977-78	6,620,443.00
1978-79	7,336,685.60

Founded 1785

Rockingham

County Seat: Wentworth
Elevation: 900 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Eden, Madison, Mayodan, Reidsville, Stoneville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	363.2
WATER	2.9
TOTAL	366.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	233.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	98.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	15.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	69,629		
1970	72,402	- 0.7%	8080
1971	73,584	0.3	871
1972	74,399	0.4	557
1973	75,658	1.1	462
1974	76,643	0.7	429
1975	76,947	- 0.1	376
1976	76,795	- 0.6	330
1977	76,219	- 1.2	324
1978	76,859	0.5	292

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,278
1971	3,512
1972	3,802
1973	4,254
1974	4,593
1975	4,844
1976	5,387
1977	5,978
1978	6,854

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	25,882
REPUBLICAN	5,591
OTHER	1,392
TOTAL	32,865

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	34,480	32,930	1,550	4.5%
1971	34,370	32,860	1,510	4.4
1972	35,930	34,540	1,390	3.9
1973	37,470	36,250	1,220	3.3
1974	37,140	34,880	2,260	6.1
1975	36,600	32,880	3,720	10.2
1976	36,820	33,800	3,020	8.2
1977	37,740	35,360	2,380	6.3
1978	38,790	36,900	1,890	4.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	26,480	16,350	10,130
1971	26,630	16,390	10,240
1972	27,720	17,150	10,570
1973	29,410	18,180	11,230
1974	28,960	17,780	11,180
1975	27,040	15,890	11,150
1976	27,910	16,250	11,660
1977	29,430	16,930	12,500
1978	31,120	17,430	13,690

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	209	34
1966	NA	212	28
1967	NA	212	38
1968	NA	261	28
1969	NA	311	45
1970	NA	311	40
1971	NA	293	39
1972	25	288	23
1973	NA	293	30
1974	22	293	35
1975	NA	293	29
1976	26	293	24
1977	NA	293	22
1978	29	293	19
1979	NA	268	20

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 15,945	$ 33,272	1,044	877
1965 THRU 1969	15,300	39,671	1,060	1,723
1970 THRU 1974	25,849	49,978	1,466	423
1975 THRU 1979	399,765	100,793	1,854	696

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	85,019	$ 16,616,470
1966	84,076	16,525,553
1967	83,799	17,265,028
1968	83,378	17,355,035
1969	81,094	19,603,862
1970	79,884	18,154,000
1971	78,555	18,516,000
1972	74,518	17,898,000
1973	70,828	24,135,000
1974	69,581	26,353,000
1975	70,874	26,215,000
1976	68,021	31,275,000
1977	66,975	29,921,000
1978	NA	34,468,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,766	643	367	NA
1966-67	2,008	646	388	NA
1967-68	1,921	617	386	88
1968-69	1,882	578	382	78
1969-70	1,719	538	407	66
1970-71	1,802	476	425	62
1971-72	1,778	458	455	61
1972-73	1,623	417	461	52
1973-74	1,532	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,808	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,030	1,017	1,005	44
1976-77	2,175	941	1,027	44
1977-78	2,020	894	1,066	42
1978-79	1,920	866	1,101	45

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	154	26	365	54
1969	201	33	406	48
1970	141	35	385	49
1971	141	28	383	35
1972	122	33	393	20
1973	156	29	360	NA
1974	145	52	418	20
1975	109	52	465	15
1976	73	48	453	9
1977	132	40	NA	15
1978	100	54	NA	7
1979	172	46	616	6

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	206.00
MUNICIPAL	38.08
TOTAL	244.08
SECONDARY	
RURAL	883.81
MUNICIPAL	37.49
TOTAL	921.30
PAVED	788.16
UNPAVED	377.22
TOTAL	1,165.38

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	33,043	1,055	627	20
1966	34,884	1,201	536	28
1967	36,374	1,206	551	28
1968	38,300	1,358	712	36
1969	39,672	1,507	643	24
1970	41,016	1,632	682	28
1971	43,671	1,705	637	17
1972	46,584	1,681	847	33
1973	49,882	1,598	848	26
1974	50,950	1,542	894	20
1975	52,301	1,679	915	22
1976	55,087	1,742	895	26
1977	57,784	2,051	1,086	21
1978	61,193	2,292	1,166	33
1979	62,989	2,036	1,078	26

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

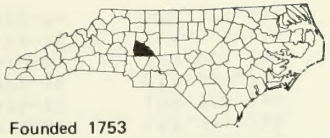
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	18,031	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	18,120	NA	517	324
1967-68	18,137	1,415	523	298
1968-69	18,126	1,815	578	256
1969-70	17,951	1,688	653	230
1970-71	17,993	2,611	675	255
1971-72	17,969	2,034	707	235
1972-73	17,786	2,972	667	209
1973-74	18,194	2,056	652	189
1974-75	18,125	1,259	715	213
1975-76	18,090	1,453	766	215
1976-77	18,223	2,377	773	227
1977-78	18,057	2,481	840	265
1978-79	17,847	2,863	837	245
1979-80	17,614	2,523	853	233

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 96,647,914	$ 27,574,573	$ 14,318,913	$ 18,895,998	$ 5,644,020
1966-67	97,755,845	28,871,526	14,521,027	19,200,575	4,853,389
1967-68	105,462,408	30,294,747	15,835,933	20,823,468	5,278,375
1968-69	117,384,636	33,540,525	18,469,311	23,198,814	5,838,249
1969-70	116,975,277	35,764,729	20,073,319	23,998,143	6,721,673
1970-71	140,372,255	38,480,480	22,434,658	24,541,866	8,756,244
1971-72	152,926,379	42,004,177	24,818,923	27,511,941	8,150,003
1972-73	173,262,951	49,315,836	26,742,396	29,286,018	8,577,464
1973-74	187,071,265	61,110,869	29,846,908	31,150,600	9,120,003
1974-75	188,556,664	69,663,229	32,039,374	30,284,874	7,486,507
1975-76	215,029,799	74,959,100	34,360,684	34,896,974	9,966,684
1976-77	238,918,586	80,243,617	38,169,590	35,409,989	11,825,008
1977-78	264,015,116	80,658,216	41,554,019	39,979,968	16,937,707
1978-79	291,729,624	88,550,630	48,044,938	42,216,923	18,856,520

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,119,163.10
1966-67	2,196,701.10
1967-68	2,364,127.60
1968-69	2,617,361.80
1969-70	2,840,921.00
1970-71	3,113,970.70
1971-72	3,418,798.40
1972-73	3,866,892.80
1973-74	4,318,382.90
1974-75	4,424,972.00
1975-76	4,851,551.50
1976-77	5,404,238.20
1977-78	5,979,981.30
1978-79	6,907,534.90



Founded 1753

Rowan

County Seat: Salisbury
Elevation: 764 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: China Grove, Cleveland, East Spencer, Faith, Granite Quarry, Landis, Rockwell, Salisbury, Spencer

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	322.1
WATER	3.6
TOTAL	325.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	150.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	129.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	29.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	82,817		
1970	90,035	0.0%	7458
1971	91,070	0.1	936
1972	90,604	- 1.1	553
1973	92,168	1.4	328
1974	91,959	- 0.5	285
1975	92,301	0.0	328
1976	91,879	- 0.8	284
1977	92,934	0.8	276
1978	93,951	0.7	325

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,209
1971	3,423
1972	3,808
1973	4,065
1974	4,411
1975	4,770
1976	5,319
1977	5,851
1978	6,545

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	24,637
REPUBLICAN	12,931
OTHER	1,607
TOTAL	39,175

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	43,510	42,440	1,070	2.5%
1971	43,490	42,230	1,260	2.9
1972	44,180	43,150	1,030	2.3
1973	44,290	43,290	1,000	2.3
1974	41,960	40,660	1,300	3.1
1975	42,760	39,440	3,320	7.8
1976	43,230	41,180	2,050	4.7
1977	44,810	42,810	2,000	4.5
1978	45,530	43,900	1,630	3.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	29,730	14,450	15,280
1971	30,310	14,380	15,930
1972	31,290	15,190	16,100
1973	32,700	15,640	17,060
1974	32,350	15,170	17,180
1975	31,190	13,610	17,580
1976	32,660	14,390	18,270
1977	33,510	15,150	18,360
1978	35,080	15,440	19,640

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	225	25
1966	NA	213	26
1967	NA	213	31
1968	NA	213	33
1969	NA	343	24
1970	NA	343	30
1971	NA	341	22
1972	30	341	23
1973	NA	341	26
1974	34	341	18
1975	NA	334	17
1976	40	334	8
1977	NA	334	17
1978	38	334	10
1979	NA	327	9

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$140,194	$ 26,868	6,696	1,148
1965 THRU 1969	10,893	66,982	935	3,111
1970 THRU 1974	8,828	24,420	778	698
1975 THRU 1979	48,776	91,059	1,104	1,061

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	91,217	$ 10,093,461
1966	93,945	10,455,480
1967	94,650	10,670,230
1968	95,959	11,301,244
1969	91,533	12,455,844
1970	86,662	11,437,000
1971	82,768	11,489,000
1972	85,419	11,781,000
1973	79,332	15,036,000
1974	74,935	17,218,000
1975	77,872	18,221,000
1976	76,728	18,801,000
1977	92,197	18,574,000
1978	NA	22,515,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,380	569	338	NA
1966-67	1,324	541	339	NA
1967-68	1,274	519	336	66
1968-69	1,183	505	318	63
1969-70	1,554	496	331	64
1970-71	1,853	453	372	58
1971-72	2,007	409	415	54
1972-73	1,741	361	416	43
1973-74	1,621	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,880	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,110	792	804	33
1976-77	1,916	720	779	35
1977-78	1,833	700	781	33
1978-79	1,508	656	793	32

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	160	54	178	33
1969	166	42	203	42
1970	172	37	240	41
1971	200	39	303	25
1972	227	59	386	15
1973	184	38	410	NA
1974	182	55	419	14
1975	265	97	475	13
1976	239	64	552	9
1977	211	62	NA	11
1978	141	95	NA	12
1979	136	57	538	9

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	119.76
MUNICIPAL	22.93
TOTAL	142.69
SECONDARY	
RURAL	955.64
MUNICIPAL	49.90
TOTAL	1,005.54
PAVED	924.93
UNPAVED	223.30
TOTAL	1,148.23

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	36,369	1,463	632	27
1966	39,152	1,673	760	27
1967	40,986	1,712	812	21
1968	43,249	1,870	734	30
1969	44,476	1,976	801	37
1970	45,813	2,076	799	36
1971	48,292	2,116	805	26
1972	50,862	2,153	985	29
1973	54,270	2,044	1,031	24
1974	55,046	1,967	914	19
1975	56,681	2,011	1,000	31
1976	59,330	2,227	1,087	26
1977	62,191	2,510	1,276	24
1978	65,121	2,469	1,297	26
1979	66,578	2,397	1,280	26

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

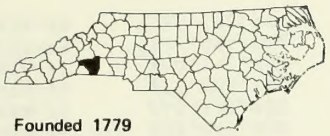
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	18,679	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	18,825	NA	724	655
1967-68	18,843	1,360	761	686
1968-69	18,777	1,948	788	688
1969-70	18,552	2,065	807	623
1970-71	18,378	2,642	913	601
1971-72	18,064	1,795	991	545
1972-73	17,853	2,397	996	576
1973-74	18,029	2,415	1,009	541
1974-75	18,039	3,374	999	515
1975-76	18,018	3,397	1,046	533
1976-77	18,304	3,084	1,023	574
1977-78	18,145	3,416	1,016	569
1978-79	17,660	3,556	1,074	644
1979-80	17,298	4,019	1,068	624

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 141,557,806	$ 37,135,733	$ 24,298,011	$ 25,845,109	$ 17,227,360
1966-67	141,774,670	36,392,410	26,430,216	26,546,634	15,237,598
1967-68	152,264,736	40,719,126	31,977,944	28,004,776	14,273,293
1968-69	173,696,921	47,104,679	36,514,748	30,757,639	16,743,297
1969-70	183,592,080	52,940,397	38,700,588	32,201,495	16,157,887
1970-71	203,792,843	63,587,087	42,492,831	33,733,463	17,320,295
1971-72	217,280,320	58,957,218	45,650,668	36,694,212	23,150,334
1972-73	221,722,905	56,079,744	37,143,695	38,029,567	29,848,012
1973-74	235,045,899	60,796,381	40,179,519	40,219,604	31,352,976
1974-75	240,137,920	70,128,602	40,453,545	38,067,748	33,103,843
1975-76	273,354,048	72,447,206	45,759,702	41,125,273	34,607,786
1976-77	300,941,765	81,931,256	47,459,633	41,803,685	36,171,551
1977-78	328,056,062	90,091,293	51,976,728	46,470,126	34,409,081
1978-79	364,122,934	103,785,373	54,699,815	49,163,246	36,870,341

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 3,592,988.20
1966-67	3,466,511.60
1967-68	3,669,221.00
1968-69	4,297,492.20
1969-70	4,540,525.60
1970-71	5,005,168.30
1971-72	5,102,236.20
1972-73	5,065,290.20
1973-74	5,326,303.30
1974-75	5,516,934.40
1975-76	6,276,824.10
1976-77	7,050,092.80
1977-78	7,495,816.70
1978-79	8,249,813.40



Founded 1779

Rutherford

County Seat: Rutherfordton
Elevation: 1,096 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Alexander Mills, Bostic, Ellenboro, Forest City, Lake Lure, Ruth, Rutherfordton, Spindale

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	360.9
WATER	2.5
TOTAL	363.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	248.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	82.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	18.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	45,091		
1970	47,337	- 0.5%	4437
1971	48,764	1.6	450
1972	49,177	0.1	343
1973	49,431	- 0.1	285
1974	49,940	0.5	261
1975	50,424	0.4	269
1976	50,767	0.2	250
1977	51,123	0.2	252
1978	51,610	0.5	242

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,787
1971	2,982
1972	3,380
1973	3,848
1974	4,064
1975	4,412
1976	4,938
1977	5,363
1978	5,850

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	17,056
REPUBLICAN	5,054
OTHER	575
TOTAL	22,685

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	21,350	20,540	810	3.8%
1971	21,590	20,710	880	4.1
1972	22,820	22,040	780	3.4
1973	23,620	23,110	510	2.2
1974	23,690	22,590	1,100	4.6
1975	24,150	21,600	2,550	10.6
1976	24,310	22,880	1,430	5.9
1977	24,710	23,290	1,420	5.7
1978	25,520	24,300	1,220	4.8

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	15,380	9,400	5,980
1971	15,590	9,400	6,190
1972	16,420	10,200	6,220
1973	17,400	10,950	6,450
1974	17,380	10,770	6,610
1975	16,450	9,640	6,810
1976	17,500	10,390	7,110
1977	17,910	10,450	7,460
1978	18,880	10,640	8,240

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	129	25
1966	NA	101	26
1967	NA	101	24
1968	NA	101	26
1969	NA	100	26
1970	NA	100	19
1971	NA	172	24
1972	14	172	16
1973	NA	172	16
1974	19	172	19
1975	NA	172	19
1976	17	172	13
1977	NA	172	14
1978	19	172	13
1979	NA	159	9

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 6,400	$ 7,190	871	602
1965 THRU 1969	18,312	8,081	507	408
1970 THRU 1974	3,405	14,539	206	725
1975 THRU 1979	61,229	29,427	975	591

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	60,420	$ 5,088,963
1966	58,849	5,590,171
1967	58,639	5,982,278
1968	55,610	6,246,181
1969	52,511	6,488,200
1970	51,449	5,033,000
1971	50,420	4,795,000
1972	46,893	5,110,000
1973	44,384	6,828,000
1974	41,672	5,624,000
1975	37,982	5,819,000
1976	37,726	6,247,000
1977	35,995	6,746,000
1978	NA	7,203,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,012	816	340	NA
1966-67	846	761	336	NA
1967-68	703	708	339	42
1968-69	811	675	343	39
1969-70	1,005	669	350	38
1970-71	1,206	642	333	35
1971-72	1,393	618	338	31
1972-73	1,316	541	331	30
1973-74	1,209	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,376	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,473	1,128	643	28
1976-77	1,377	1,015	651	29
1977-78	1,292	951	673	32
1978-79	1,169	932	707	32

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	61	10	164	18
1969	74	12	171	17
1970	60	17	192	21
1971	87	14	160	18
1972	67	22	154	16
1973	100	19	145	NA
1974	65	27	183	24
1975	74	36	211	26
1976	86	38	190	11
1977	86	32	NA	16
1978	71	57	NA	9
1979	87	50	173	7

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	105.11
MUNICIPAL	28.80
TOTAL	133.91
SECONDARY	
RURAL	882.78
MUNICIPAL	42.07
TOTAL	924.85
PAVED	709.15
UNPAVED	349.61
TOTAL	1,058.76

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	19,977	713	399	23
1966	21,579	876	481	9
1967	22,568	954	487	16
1968	23,658	1,033	416	13
1969	24,460	1,104	385	18
1970	25,097	1,045	391	14
1971	26,765	1,142	454	24
1972	28,883	1,131	508	17
1973	30,872	1,114	553	15
1974	31,324	995	507	14
1975	32,179	1,088	554	13
1976	34,664	1,182	556	19
1977	35,853	1,172	523	23
1978	37,648	1,190	599	20
1979	39,040	1,266	652	17

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	11,209	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	11,031	NA	349	204
1967-68	10,899	1,077	379	206
1968-69	10,771	1,428	399	192
1969-70	10,783	1,595	418	173
1970-71	10,830	1,866	407	185
1971-72	10,919	1,480	425	194
1972-73	10,702	1,760	402	179
1973-74	11,081	1,632	399	178
1974-75	11,267	2,026	413	171
1975-76	11,322	2,343	416	132
1976-77	11,446	1,929	417	172
1977-78	11,423	2,288	415	164
1978-79	11,348	2,893	418	165
1979-80	11,304	3,050	409	190

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 59,265,755	$ 15,008,636	$ 8,593,855	$ 12,756,761	$ 4,503,796
1966-67	61,659,989	16,594,618	9,249,822	13,821,196	3,699,523
1967-68	64,837,011	16,961,479	9,547,319	15,042,419	4,107,174
1968-69	71,613,264	17,910,073	10,949,965	15,842,264	4,927,241
1969-70	75,041,675	19,601,632	11,801,819	16,662,867	5,303,315
1970-71	80,849,061	21,241,016	12,380,631	17,150,252	5,591,378
1971-72	96,414,691	24,034,537	15,453,108	19,403,985	7,370,624
1972-73	112,552,713	26,383,205	18,526,975	20,780,396	8,735,501
1973-74	121,339,500	30,721,398	19,667,936	23,089,743	9,217,483
1974-75	117,271,054	33,769,391	19,676,469	23,825,689	8,135,027
1975-76	136,965,980	37,858,775	21,378,593	26,955,906	10,146,300
1976-77	145,817,478	40,649,199	21,960,426	27,788,949	12,588,433
1977-78	161,817,628	46,023,391	25,598,184	28,721,933	14,200,261
1978-79	188,946,974	51,497,009	29,746,035	36,627,723	16,225,545

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,294,068.10
1966-67	1,363,680.80
1967-68	1,403,162.70
1968-69	1,558,428.30
1969-70	1,717,976.20
1970-71	1,851,880.30
1971-72	2,221,126.90
1972-73	2,556,895.90
1973-74	2,718,155.60
1974-75	2,677,383.10
1975-76	3,119,785.80
1976-77	3,337,508.20
1977-78	3,748,741.10
1978-79	4,223,496.90

Founded 1784

Sampson

County Seat: Clinton
Elevation: 158 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Autryville, Clinton, Garland, Harrells (Part), Newton Grove, Roseboro, Salemburg, Turkey

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	613.9
WATER	2.7
TOTAL	616.6
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	356.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	219.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	15.1

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	48,013		
1970	44,954	- 1.6%	4368
1971	46,433	1.9	393
1972	46,787	0.2	251
1973	46,689	- 0.6	203
1974	47,257	0.7	241
1975	48,338	1.7	288
1976	48,069	- 1.1	265
1977	48,589	0.5	283
1978	48,860	0.0	278

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,543
1971	2,606
1972	2,843
1973	3,448
1974	3,721
1975	3,939
1976	4,448
1977	4,465
1978	5,514

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	14,741
REPUBLICAN	8,713
OTHER	469
TOTAL	23,923

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	19,640	18,430	1,210	6.2%
1971	19,210	17,960	1,250	6.5
1972	20,060	19,150	910	4.5
1973	20,090	19,110	980	4.9
1974	20,270	19,290	980	4.8
1975	21,540	19,700	1,840	8.5
1976	22,960	21,510	1,450	6.3
1977	23,590	22,090	1,500	6.4
1978	24,570	23,440	1,130	4.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	8,870	3,770	5,100
1971	8,820	3,580	5,240
1972	9,300	3,860	5,440
1973	9,410	3,980	5,430
1974	10,020	4,150	5,870
1975	10,070	4,110	5,960
1976	11,110	5,000	6,110
1977	11,980	5,220	6,760
1978	13,260	5,550	7,710

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	146	30
1966	NA	147	25
1967	NA	147	22
1968	NA	147	29
1969	NA	178	26
1970	NA	178	7
1971	NA	178	14
1972	12	178	20
1973	NA	178	15
1974	16	178	10
1975	NA	178	19
1976	13	178	10
1977	NA	178	17
1978	17	178	14
1979	NA	170	19

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,073	$ 1,775	604	1,215
1965 THRU 1969	6,637	5,214	419	734
1970 THRU 1974	7,309	6,067	905	347
1975 THRU 1979	2,985	16,589	385	724

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	177,286	$ 43,467,221
1966	176,561	50,113,874
1967	178,660	52,632,075
1968	186,214	49,672,003
1969	186,608	59,760,046
1970	181,967	58,295,000
1971	181,625	57,299,000
1972	183,298	63,395,000
1973	176,558	89,834,000
1974	179,711	100,016,000
1975	179,091	102,356,000
1976	186,806	109,044,000
1977	188,560	96,372,000
1978	NA	126,553,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,526	474	220	NA
1966-67	1,394	453	213	NA
1967-68	1,339	449	213	63
1968-69	1,432	460	242	59
1969-70	1,498	489	272	47
1970-71	1,643	472	295	42
1971-72	1,807	490	349	50
1972-73	1,793	464	403	41
1973-74	1,627	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,678	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,872	1,248	820	38
1976-77	1,876	1,193	845	35
1977-78	1,818	1,140	834	34
1978-79	1,709	1,116	855	26

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	117	23	153	3
1969	109	21	223	11
1970	153	25	242	17
1971	121	28	219	10
1972	95	29	201	16
1973	102	32	196	NA
1974	108	36	253	13
1975	87	41	293	10
1976	96	38	301	2
1977	110	31	NA	6
1978	89	44	NA	0
1979	113	33	372	5

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	220.19
MUNICIPAL	24.70
TOTAL	244.89
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,178.80
MUNICIPAL	33.87
TOTAL	1,212.67
PAVED	1,160.67
UNPAVED	296.89
TOTAL	1,457.56

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	17,799	767	400	30
1966	18,427	835	451	28
1967	19,428	901	563	22
1968	20,583	860	590	29
1969	21,080	916	591	29
1970	21,697	916	565	20
1971	23,105	979	567	19
1972	24,611	1,006	596	30
1973	26,315	881	623	24
1974	27,281	851	542	28
1975	28,556	878	652	18
1976	30,145	947	636	29
1977	31,303	928	622	29
1978	32,469	1,034	644	22
1979	33,584	1,033	632	22

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	13,351	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	12,812	NA	391	264
1967-68	12,602	579	422	272
1968-69	12,303	1,062	454	267
1969-70	11,956	2,208	451	263
1970-71	11,682	2,026	469	263
1971-72	11,480	1,555	483	319
1972-73	11,151	2,095	520	298
1973-74	11,645	868	544	181
1974-75	11,517	2,243	566	193
1975-76	11,355	2,022	597	205
1976-77	11,208	2,395	557	206
1977-78	11,157	2,140	569	197
1978-79	10,914	2,471	529	196
1979-80	10,821	2,410	550	220

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 51,426,102	$ 10,283,831	$ 10,784,836	$ 10,099,605	$ 4,387,287
1966-67	56,377,324	11,382,535	12,530,615	10,839,996	4,672,060
1967-68	59,488,727	12,251,705	13,098,865	11,015,536	5,162,114
1968-69	63,388,805	13,542,270	13,577,264	11,827,051	5,567,065
1969-70	66,904,241	14,692,691	14,751,521	12,542,997	5,614,025
1970-71	72,330,068	16,956,688	15,158,460	13,788,384	5,898,534
1971-72	81,701,723	18,789,310	16,496,963	14,456,633	7,327,147
1972-73	93,085,467	20,804,445	18,202,241	16,693,151	8,574,281
1973-74	107,415,857	24,598,338	22,637,149	18,352,117	9,457,152
1974-75	114,902,478	25,970,534	26,237,976	19,731,498	7,443,618
1975-76	130,357,081	28,742,129	28,884,594	23,459,191	8,373,668
1976-77	139,308,654	31,093,718	32,697,896	24,276,264	9,837,827
1977-78	153,322,703	34,785,818	36,629,377	26,211,945	12,095,365
1978-79	188,270,121	42,497,385	45,347,526	30,831,014	14,142,155

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,010,982.00
1966-67	1,106,230.60
1967-68	1,171,863.60
1968-69	1,246,217.20
1969-70	1,344,156.40
1970-71	1,479,732.90
1971-72	1,687,036.20
1972-73	1,912,086.10
1973-74	2,106,442.00
1974-75	2,187,107.30
1975-76	2,497,283.30
1976-77	2,660,896.90
1977-78	2,983,377.50
1978-79	3,615,826.50

Founded 1899

Scotland

County Seat: Laurinburg
Elevation: 227 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: East Laurinburg, Gibson, Laurinburg, Maxton (Part) Wagram

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	202.0
WATER	1.8
TOTAL	203.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	99.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	57.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	6.1

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	25,183		
1970	26,929	- 0.6%	3325
1971	27,248	- 0.4	452
1972	27,905	1.1	359
1973	28,554	1.2	319
1974	28,958	0.4	295
1975	29,460	0.6	322
1976	29,339	- 1.5	311
1977	29,853	0.7	309
1978	30,550	1.3	308

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,787
1971	3,121
1972	3,444
1973	3,836
1974	3,913
1975	4,110
1976	4,738
1977	5,076
1978	5,546

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	9,595
REPUBLICAN	1,687
OTHER	341
TOTAL	11,623

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	11,740	11,130	610	5.2%
1971	12,210	11,560	650	5.3
1972	12,320	11,750	570	4.6
1973	13,130	12,580	550	4.2
1974	13,170	12,340	830	6.3
1975	13,240	12,000	1,240	9.4
1976	13,220	12,320	900	6.8
1977	13,740	12,890	850	6.2
1978	14,320	13,720	600	4.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	10,850	6,110	4,740
1971	11,390	6,470	4,920
1972	11,460	6,740	4,720
1973	12,490	7,540	4,950
1974	12,510	7,440	5,070
1975	11,960	6,500	5,460
1976	12,360	6,860	5,500
1977	13,090	7,350	5,740
1978	14,080	7,700	6,380

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	130	23
1966	NA	174	16
1967	NA	174	22
1968	NA	174	13
1969	NA	174	19
1970	NA	174	20
1971	NA	163	18
1972	12	163	22
1973	NA	188	18
1974	12	188	13
1975	NA	188	9
1976	15	188	6
1977	NA	188	12
1978	13	188	10
1979	NA	214	13

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 18,966	$ 3,006	2,231	457
1965 THRU 1969	13,045	35,388	998	730
1970 THRU 1974	54,550	4,050	650	105
1975 THRU 1979	54,500	80,561	1,143	1,024

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	58,637	$ 10,605,779
1966	59,194	11,691,204
1967	60,213	11,092,580
1968	59,285	7,587,718
1969	57,873	7,242,175
1970	56,937	8,003,000
1971	56,773	9,171,000
1972	54,934	10,532,000
1973	55,384	16,176,000
1974	55,317	14,911,000
1975	52,986	13,098,000
1976	56,941	15,976,000
1977	54,405	12,300,000
1978	NA	14,306,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,668	350	295	NA
1966-67	1,567	347	307	NA
1967-68	1,517	366	295	35
1968-69	1,470	362	301	34
1969-70	1,544	349	321	31
1970-71	1,885	339	338	32
1971-72	2,179	334	385	26
1972-73	1,987	311	400	28
1973-74	1,784	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,890	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,003	639	758	31
1976-77	2,160	595	796	26
1977-78	2,304	549	792	26
1978-79	2,400	507	780	24

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	109	15	286	11
1969	107	15	284	12
1970	103	19	275	18
1971	116	21	244	22
1972	89	24	267	24
1973	97	16	282	NA
1974	96	30	294	28
1975	113	34	245	11
1976	129	37	278	22
1977	108	26	NA	26
1978	86	38	NA	9
1979	122	26	311	12

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	69.40
MUNICIPAL	16.34
TOTAL	85.74
SECONDARY	
RURAL	430.32
MUNICIPAL	25.10
TOTAL	455.42
PAVED	475.57
UNPAVED	65.59
TOTAL	541.16

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	8,758	431	266	11
1966	9,601	501	329	14
1967	10,097	462	352	21
1968	10,770	455	258	16
1969	11,091	539	339	16
1970	11,451	590	304	12
1971	12,318	590	370	19
1972	13,433	562	374	15
1973	14,523	586	435	13
1974	15,175	515	394	14
1975	15,627	471	359	9
1976	16,919	522	394	8
1977	17,867	562	417	9
1978	18,592	647	413	12
1979	19,509	604	484	7

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	8,350	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	8,360	NA	266	90
1967-68	8,145	173	242	105
1968-69	7,870	367	302	93
1969-70	7,554	387	323	102
1970-71	7,391	667	342	100
1971-72	7,286	845	393	121
1972-73	7,167	789	390	113
1973-74	7,325	929	387	107
1974-75	7,446	1,000	417	110
1975-76	7,574	1,146	469	118
1976-77	7,861	905	428	160
1977-78	7,995	899	446	174
1978-79	7,971	1,092	417	175
1979-80	7,876	1,058	414	163

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 38,094,276	$ 8,128,621	$ 7,494,214	$ 8,928,625	$ 3,357,721
1966-67	37,945,433	9,014,556	7,827,773	8,857,653	3,058,583
1967-68	40,895,550	9,739,568	7,748,598	9,537,769	3,230,641
1968-69	44,972,220	10,891,358	8,334,800	10,788,863	3,504,068
1969-70	48,924,536	13,203,340	9,499,649	10,178,415	4,215,595
1970-71	56,189,493	15,077,000	11,339,349	11,143,716	4,287,909
1971-72	64,767,493	15,792,081	13,367,200	12,501,549	4,576,897
1972-73	74,626,543	17,235,060	15,706,917	14,998,926	5,546,582
1973-74	82,273,362	19,509,048	18,207,250	15,614,530	6,440,696
1974-75	87,004,551	21,535,103	17,527,930	22,628,548	4,700,140
1975-76	107,952,927	25,453,842	18,731,542	31,538,607	6,562,184
1976-77	124,928,113	28,096,228	19,958,755	38,656,401	8,590,038
1977-78	129,484,551	30,202,310	22,736,719	36,417,050	8,980,523
1978-79	137,715,823	35,491,518	25,183,343	32,623,877	10,091,614

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 856,478.50
1966-67	813,641.90
1967-68	872,466.20
1968-69	953,340.60
1969-70	1,080,706.20
1970-71	1,227,530.50
1971-72	1,366,711.70
1972-73	1,567,859.60
1973-74	1,730,562.70
1974-75	1,724,467.20
1975-76	2,038,817.80
1976-77	2,343,508.20
1977-78	2,885,647.70
1978-79	2,884,614.70

Founded 1841

Stanly

County Seat: Albemarle
Elevation: 505 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Albemarle, Locust, New London, Norwood, Oakboro, Richfield, Stanfield

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	254.0
WATER	6.7
TOTAL	260.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	113.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	117.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	15.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	40,873		
1970	42,822	- 0.5%	3923
1971	43,690	0.8	423
1972	43,992	0.0	321
1973	44,614	0.9	231
1974	44,637	- 0.3	161
1975	44,710	- 0.2	141
1976	44,713	- 0.3	145
1977	44,987	0.3	160
1978	45,379	0.5	180

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,326
1971	3,471
1972	3,778
1973	4,304
1974	4,511
1975	4,810
1976	5,379
1977	5,880
1978	6,678

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	14,259
REPUBLICAN	8,425
OTHER	1,263
TOTAL	23,947

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	21,270	20,580	690	3.2%
1971	20,810	19,890	920	4.4
1972	21,120	20,480	640	3.0
1973	21,590	20,980	610	2.8
1974	21,190	20,240	950	4.5
1975	21,370	19,360	2,010	9.4
1976	21,560	20,480	1,080	5.0
1977	21,940	20,910	1,030	4.7
1978	22,410	21,370	1,040	4.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	17,470	10,750	6,720
1971	16,960	10,280	6,680
1972	17,280	10,580	6,700
1973	17,890	10,820	7,070
1974	17,630	10,250	7,380
1975	16,670	9,380	7,290
1976	17,730	10,180	7,550
1977	18,250	10,430	7,820
1978	18,830	10,930	7,900

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	137	24
1966	NA	141	27
1967	NA	141	22
1968	NA	141	27
1969	NA	141	13
1970	NA	139	18
1971	NA	140	17
1972	17	140	12
1973	NA	136	16
1974	17	136	13
1975	NA	142	14
1976	21	142	5
1977	NA	142	9
1978	19	142	6
1979	NA	131	12

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,833	$ 11,367	506	691
1965 THRU 1969	3,570	19,054	415	1,742
1970 THRU 1974	1,068	54,719	325	745
1975 THRU 1979	10,621	26,875	315	535

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	72,859	$ 15,216,810
1966	77,093	14,938,066
1967	75,887	14,853,309
1968	74,229	16,439,225
1969	69,077	19,031,691
1970	69,037	15,664,000
1971	67,864	14,434,000
1972	68,104	15,723,000
1973	67,429	25,792,000
1974	65,720	26,776,000
1975	62,303	26,365,000
1976	64,709	27,357,000
1977	67,388	24,226,000
1978	NA	29,951,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	230	217	105	NA
1966-67	173	198	104	NA
1967-68	196	186	107	26
1968-69	133	176	113	26
1969-70	206	182	122	26
1970-71	273	166	138	26
1971-72	319	163	146	30
1972-73	258	152	158	26
1973-74	313	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	551	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	707	471	374	18
1976-77	725	412	365	21
1977-78	742	386	395	22
1978-79	774	353	374	22

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	94	27	187	11
1969	73	19	200	14
1970	79	20	213	11
1971	62	15	182	6
1972	72	23	195	8
1973	70	20	204	NA
1974	76	25	256	7
1975	89	30	257	1
1976	79	22	311	3
1977	65	15	NA	4
1978	78	27	NA	2
1979	73	38	258	14

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	105.78
MUNICIPAL	18.60
TOTAL	124.38
SECONDARY	
RURAL	720.11
MUNICIPAL	23.92
TOTAL	744.03
PAVED	682.32
UNPAVED	186.09
TOTAL	868.41

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	22,112	671	443	16
1966	23,579	788	381	18
1967	24,352	826	484	10
1968	25,773	856	501	18
1969	26,360	1,023	535	14
1970	27,179	984	522	13
1971	28,627	1,032	568	18
1972	30,433	880	440	14
1973	32,100	728	474	11
1974	32,507	729	402	5
1975	33,296	859	524	10
1976	35,081	883	468	4
1977	36,440	1,012	534	11
1978	38,301	1,031	569	9
1979	39,299	1,046	621	12

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	9,909	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	9,754	NA	349	309
1967-68	9,770	367	411	284
1968-69	9,756	546	409	274
1969-70	9,706	469	410	268
1970-71	9,739	928	420	296
1971-72	9,561	910	441	336
1972-73	9,439	957	471	363
1973-74	9,440	1,365	494	326
1974-75	9,632	736	513	336
1975-76	9,952	2,399	491	375
1976-77	9,916	2,082	442	376
1977-78	9,862	2,622	408	319
1978-79	9,831	2,483	439	289
1979-80	9,661	2,266	441	264

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 64,781,306	$ 12,487,715	$ 10,586,609	$ 13,330,069	$ 4,993,020
1966-67	68,915,381	13,919,133	12,215,533	13,199,156	5,393,066
1967-68	73,343,089	14,949,775	13,425,741	13,969,208	5,602,091
1968-69	80,645,138	15,817,672	14,553,214	15,865,298	6,894,119
1969-70	84,124,794	16,171,887	15,009,835	17,094,766	6,971,903
1970-71	85,145,293	16,244,454	15,995,724	18,186,221	6,489,666
1971-72	101,891,227	19,815,907	17,673,647	20,083,119	10,714,408
1972-73	117,681,165	23,573,027	19,021,966	22,323,667	13,672,792
1973-74	126,051,226	26,166,696	19,883,146	27,184,787	13,508,772
1974-75	134,805,724	29,934,810	21,885,441	28,588,669	16,183,484
1975-76	153,011,882	31,368,755	24,597,601	33,403,292	16,982,453
1976-77	167,602,706	32,980,601	27,024,774	37,881,532	18,127,541
1977-78	186,566,534	36,327,108	30,356,950	42,445,207	19,925,505
1978-79	209,711,284	40,416,345	34,212,840	45,914,077	24,460,536

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,318,553.20
1966-67	1,501,450.00
1967-68	1,536,773.10
1968-69	1,674,006.30
1969-70	1,761,032.40
1970-71	1,826,182.10
1971-72	2,169,488.70
1972-73	2,477,070.90
1973-74	2,589,219.00
1974-75	2,690,438.00
1975-76	2,976,680.80
1976-77	3,229,944.90
1977-78	3,532,878.40
1978-79	4,058,117.00

Founded 1789

Stokes

County Seat: Danbury
Elevation: 825 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Danbury, Germanton, Walnut Cove

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	292.7
WATER	1.1
TOTAL	293.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	176.1
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	91.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	8.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	22,314		
1970	23,782	- 0.4%	2490
1971	24,740	2.2	307
1972	25,666	2.8	224
1973	26,556	2.7	187
1974	27,550	3.0	197
1975	28,409	2.4	204
1976	28,572	- 0.1	181
1977	28,932	0.7	166
1978	29,544	1.5	175

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,702
1971	3,003
1972	3,203
1973	3,767
1974	4,106
1975	4,348
1976	4,687
1977	5,184
1978	5,763

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	10,807
REPUBLICAN	7,830
OTHER	491
TOTAL	19,128

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	11,090	10,490	600	5.4%
1971	11,480	10,700	780	6.8
1972	11,760	11,160	600	5.1
1973	12,000	11,390	610	5.1
1974	13,770	13,220	550	4.0
1975	14,510	13,260	1,250	8.6
1976	14,650	13,670	980	6.7
1977	15,180	14,190	990	6.5
1978	15,740	14,840	900	5.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,820	1,210	1,610
1971	3,440	1,120	2,320
1972	4,040	1,370	2,670
1973	4,560	1,370	3,190
1974	4,610	1,370	3,240
1975	4,090	1,110	2,980
1976	3,830	1,260	2,570
1977	3,490	1,210	2,280
1978	4,310	1,550	2,760

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	30	7
1966	NA	29	16
1967	NA	29	13
1968	NA	29	11
1969	NA	29	12
1970	NA	29	9
1971	NA	29	5
1972	1	29	4
1973	NA	29	8
1974	1	29	5
1975	NA	29	11
1976	4	29	3
1977	NA	29	8
1978	6	95	6
1979	NA	104	6

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 6,400	$ 200	400	35
1965 THRU 1969	200	94	78	53
1970 THRU 1974	15,535	794	385	270
1975 THRU 1979	450	75	75	100

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	69,350	$ 12,908,205
1966	68,721	12,583,779
1967	70,276	13,635,756
1968	70,323	12,335,155
1969	68,253	14,205,357
1970	67,203	14,857,000
1971	61,290	14,690,000
1972	63,662	13,798,000
1973	59,032	18,450,000
1974	57,142	20,287,000
1975	63,980	21,419,000
1976	57,329	22,473,000
1977	54,170	24,399,000
1978	NA	27,111,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	332	199	97	NA
1966-67	383	204	106	NA
1967-68	377	202	108	15
1968-69	382	187	102	17
1969-70	397	193	114	16
1970-71	426	184	113	18
1971-72	462	181	118	23
1972-73	432	165	120	21
1973-74	372	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	428	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	485	363	229	23
1976-77	465	332	231	21
1977-78	443	314	242	18
1978-79	456	310	234	18

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	45	7	99	2
1969	43	8	115	4
1970	42	9	120	4
1971	34	7	78	2
1972	41	8	113	0
1973	39	10	105	NA
1974	30	13	128	3
1975	27	16	135	5
1976	30	17	152	2
1977	32	8	NA	4
1978	23	11	NA	3
1979	35	11	141	2

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	135.01
MUNICIPAL	5.60
TOTAL	140.61
SECONDARY	
RURAL	798.22
MUNICIPAL	3.96
TOTAL	802.18
PAVED	569.72
UNPAVED	373.07
TOTAL	942.79

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	10,243	218	131	7
1966	10,918	215	140	10
1967	11,649	232	110	6
1968	12,261	248	122	8
1969	12,818	329	205	14
1970	13,263	325	227	11
1971	14,386	366	186	11
1972	15,697	445	221	10
1973	17,089	407	227	12
1974	17,853	391	261	8
1975	18,979	519	309	11
1976	20,392	470	259	13
1977	21,540	441	239	12
1978	22,969	541	318	17
1979	23,744	525	307	6

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

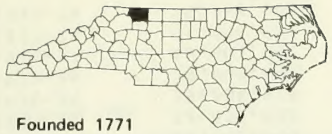
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	5,371	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	5,360	NA	111	62
1967-68	5,411	138	113	58
1968-69	5,465	248	135	59
1969-70	5,523	358	160	64
1970-71	5,700	320	164	89
1971-72	5,851	366	147	87
1972-73	5,979	319	143	82
1973-74	6,321	321	147	78
1974-75	6,498	491	180	74
1975-76	6,721	465	188	78
1976-77	6,902	515	207	80
1977-78	7,104	500	215	88
1978-79	7,146	659	213	87
1979-80	7,212	741	230	100

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 14,014,869	$ 5,084,596	$ 2,315,364	$ 3,231,755	$ 406,369
1966-67	14,718,551	5,351,118	2,384,222	3,597,107	390,846
1967-68	15,785,067	5,832,442	2,463,506	3,885,888	417,329
1968-69	17,632,721	6,126,064	3,061,213	4,515,437	435,337
1969-70	20,424,899	6,507,363	3,667,636	5,263,125	475,179
1970-71	22,019,708	6,887,952	3,958,400	5,969,847	629,868
1971-72	25,701,029	7,502,282	4,428,159	6,560,640	807,787
1972-73	29,063,506	8,601,944	4,437,391	7,462,292	953,029
1973-74	32,650,087	10,011,035	5,098,178	7,825,521	1,174,801
1974-75	35,208,975	11,475,712	5,661,193	8,376,856	1,343,631
1975-76	39,068,694	12,293,574	6,630,923	8,623,058	1,677,625
1976-77	44,901,991	13,265,939	7,220,332	9,990,717	2,230,252
1977-78	51,506,961	15,645,484	7,835,513	10,803,973	2,889,847
1978-79	55,298,090	17,816,193	8,619,758	10,885,725	3,257,150

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 293,782.00
1966-67	305,884.00
1967-68	331,429.40
1968-69	359,165.00
1969-70	422,271.20
1970-71	464,936.70
1971-72	548,900.70
1972-73	638,216.60
1973-74	685,356.80
1974-75	705,964.10
1975-76	772,604.80
1976-77	883,707.20
1977-78	1,019,474.50
1978-79	1,115,771.20



Founded 1771

Surry

County Seat: Dobson
Elevation: 1,265 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Dobson, Elkin (Part), Mount Airy, Pilot Mountain

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	342.3
WATER	1.4
TOTAL	343.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	189.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	123.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	15.8

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	48,205		
1970	51,415	- 0.5%	5681
1971	52,095	0.2	560
1972	52,651	0.3	402
1973	53,703	1.3	356
1974	54,049	0.0	329
1975	54,965	1.1	324
1976	54,954	- 0.5	258
1977	55,696	0.8	316
1978	55,915	- 0.2	306

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,196
1971	3,470
1972	3,774
1973	4,224
1974	4,513
1975	4,717
1976	5,250
1977	5,574
1978	6,410

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	17,986
REPUBLICAN	8,547
OTHER	806
TOTAL	27,339

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	24,410	22,960	1,450	5.9%
1971	24,390	23,140	1,250	5.1
1972	25,280	24,160	1,120	4.4
1973	25,530	24,480	1,050	4.1
1974	25,280	23,850	1,430	5.7
1975	25,610	22,510	3,100	12.1
1976	27,130	25,080	2,050	7.6
1977	27,340	25,510	1,830	6.7
1978	27,810	26,360	1,450	5.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	22,020	12,520	9,500
1971	22,490	12,910	9,580
1972	23,270	13,490	9,780
1973	23,920	13,910	10,010
1974	23,820	13,720	10,100
1975	22,050	12,350	9,700
1976	24,870	14,550	10,320
1977	25,680	14,980	10,700
1978	26,820	15,500	11,320

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	144	29
1966	NA	137	17
1967	NA	137	37
1968	NA	137	18
1969	NA	138	28
1970	NA	139	14
1971	NA	139	29
1972	15	139	17
1973	NA	139	8
1974	13	253	13
1975	NA	253	12
1976	20	253	10
1977	NA	257	10
1978	22	257	17
1979	NA	260	14

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,270	$ 5,720	516	1,987
1965 THRU 1969	3,450	10,753	272	1,836
1970 THRU 1974	2,031	15,882	489	1,247
1975 THRU 1979	5,528	26,324	288	1,665

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	74,390	$ 25,740,863
1966	72,959	26,316,457
1967	73,809	26,385,846
1968	73,069	26,369,705
1969	74,315	29,885,199
1970	74,362	28,622,000
1971	73,897	27,764,000
1972	68,126	28,162,000
1973	58,113	38,319,000
1974	49,518	38,664,000
1975	60,221	41,288,000
1976	65,916	42,151,000
1977	68,197	38,611,000
1978	NA	48,852,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	838	521	213	NA
1966-67	785	510	250	NA
1967-68	702	481	242	30
1968-69	625	440	225	28
1969-70	619	433	273	28
1970-71	643	418	282	27
1971-72	603	394	293	39
1972-73	504	380	302	44
1973-74	486	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	591	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	628	1,071	754	44
1976-77	626	1,046	803	37
1977-78	587	1,026	839	32
1978-79	576	981	855	33

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	92	4	306	11
1969	102	8	291	15
1970	56	14	279	10
1971	88	17	267	5
1972	87	12	239	10
1973	82	9	284	NA
1974	82	24	360	6
1975	90	22	358	14
1976	88	25	325	12
1977	92	27	NA	12
1978	72	34	NA	1
1979	120	41	364	2

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	142.68
MUNICIPAL	15.16
TOTAL	157.84
SECONDARY	
RURAL	915.05
MUNICIPAL	21.74
TOTAL	936.79
PAVED	687.17
UNPAVED	407.46
TOTAL	1,094.63

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	27,239	960	526	13
1966	28,783	1,056	557	18
1967	29,912	967	532	22
1968	31,558	1,096	532	11
1969	32,749	1,200	522	14
1970	33,514	1,304	552	16
1971	35,756	1,293	581	15
1972	38,189	1,241	599	21
1973	40,655	1,255	689	17
1974	41,393	1,296	687	23
1975	42,664	1,370	810	27
1976	45,650	1,556	805	18
1977	47,551	1,459	705	22
1978	50,291	1,675	769	13
1979	51,493	1,606	734	10

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	12,260	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	12,111	NA	328	221
1967-68	12,124	849	344	217
1968-69	12,110	956	375	248
1969-70	12,070	1,385	394	218
1970-71	12,036	1,014	441	199
1971-72	12,032	1,996	449	194
1972-73	11,998	1,349	449	174
1973-74	12,087	1,511	448	143
1974-75	12,410	1,879	454	152
1975-76	12,530	2,307	479	149
1976-77	12,675	2,445	448	154
1977-78	12,655	2,534	421	164
1978-79	12,462	2,960	408	180
1979-80	12,302	3,040	446	158

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 87,390,982	$ 21,533,188	$ 15,009,376	$ 17,353,009	$ 8,036,632
1966-67	91,258,003	23,951,187	15,465,864	18,570,565	8,144,543
1967-68	96,111,870	25,561,698	16,282,675	19,241,855	8,750,377
1968-69	106,908,710	26,493,353	18,735,633	20,876,821	10,373,966
1969-70	110,909,274	28,537,368	19,943,585	21,241,186	9,768,206
1970-71	118,369,742	29,975,566	22,312,857	22,637,045	9,928,395
1971-72	138,304,678	37,789,797	23,090,280	25,350,625	12,030,965
1972-73	153,254,989	42,072,491	25,292,982	27,742,512	13,726,128
1973-74	168,960,447	47,017,649	29,501,076	29,876,862	14,139,698
1974-75	173,055,271	49,152,656	31,940,708	31,715,286	14,493,198
1975-76	201,927,161	53,615,393	35,675,126	37,486,183	18,019,218
1976-77	225,463,801	55,992,426	39,917,886	43,067,332	19,479,756
1977-78	247,247,795	60,488,894	43,610,083	46,011,664	22,918,183
1978-79	277,085,479	68,896,786	47,481,503	52,269,249	26,270,674

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,882,533.50
1966-67	1,949,003.20
1967-68	2,080,530.00
1968-69	2,268,343.80
1969-70	2,426,956.50
1970-71	2,600,882.10
1971-72	3,075,412.60
1972-73	3,345,274.80
1973-74	3,663,530.00
1974-75	3,697,389.00
1975-76	4,214,490.00
1976-77	4,614,074.00
1977-78	5,213,456.60
1978-79	5,692,500.60

Founded 1871

Swain

County Seat: Bryson City
Elevation: 1,736 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Bryson City

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	338.7
WATER	9.6
TOTAL	348.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	84.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	12.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	5.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	8,387		
1970	8,835	- 0.7%	1023
1971	9,143	1.9	97
1972	9,352	1.6	63
1973	9,188	- 2.3	48
1974	9,398	1.5	74
1975	9,982	5.4	72
1976	10,207	1.7	55
1977	10,322	0.5	60
1978	10,417	0.2	78

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,219
1971	2,592
1972	2,750
1973	3,084
1974	3,393
1975	3,759
1976	4,112
1977	4,490
1978	5,203

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	4,217
REPUBLICAN	1,602
OTHER	273
TOTAL	6,092

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	3,740	3,400	340	9.1%
1971	3,600	3,310	290	8.1
1972	3,520	3,190	330	9.4
1973	3,590	3,230	360	10.0
1974	3,630	3,260	370	10.2
1975	4,210	3,600	610	14.5
1976	4,220	3,800	420	10.0
1977	4,140	3,730	410	9.9
1978	4,620	4,310	310	6.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,990	1,000	1,990
1971	3,270	1,060	2,210
1972	3,160	1,140	2,020
1973	3,200	1,050	2,150
1974	3,300	1,030	2,270
1975	3,620	980	2,640
1976	3,900	1,100	2,800
1977	3,860	1,130	2,730
1978	4,500	1,330	3,170

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	30	6
1966	NA	29	8
1967	NA	29	2
1968	NA	29	4
1969	NA	48	2
1970	NA	48	4
1971	NA	48	2
1972	2	48	4
1973	NA	48	3
1974	2	48	5
1975	NA	48	6
1976	4	48	4
1977	NA	48	2
1978	4	48	5
1979	NA	51	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 750	$ 50	400	40
1965 THRU 1969	0	200	0	60
1970 THRU 1974	330	1,892	115	119
1975 THRU 1979	0	1,816	5	142

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	3,858	$ 879,501
1966	3,512	875,052
1967	4,140	786,261
1968	4,571	863,694
1969	4,227	967,334
1970	4,860	681,000
1971	3,696	712,000
1972	3,476	819,000
1973	3,131	942,000
1974	2,928	1,104,000
1975	3,297	1,782,000
1976	10,276	1,414,000
1977	8,833	1,138,000
1978	NA	972,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	409	261	97	NA
1966-67	329	236	100	NA
1967-68	266	206	97	13
1968-69	228	174	92	13
1969-70	239	175	97	15
1970-71	266	177	98	12
1971-72	235	170	95	13
1972-73	246	156	104	12
1973-74	230	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	194	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	236	349	206	15
1976-77	235	348	206	14
1977-78	274	338	210	13
1978-79	252	327	216	14

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	17	0	69	6
1969	10	0	60	5
1970	23	2	83	1
1971	33	1	82	1
1972	27	2	67	1
1973	28	5	67	NA
1974	18	5	57	0
1975	14	9	77	0
1976	17	4	64	2
1977	7	3	NA	0
1978	13	4	NA	1
1979	8	7	65	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	60.09
MUNICIPAL	3.15
TOTAL	63.24
SECONDARY	
RURAL	184.76
MUNICIPAL	8.70
TOTAL	193.46
PAVED	167.18
UNPAVED	89.52
TOTAL	256.70

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	3,837	134	71	2
1966	3,820	146	99	3
1967	4,042	122	60	1
1968	4,401	184	109	5
1969	4,512	140	69	6
1970	4,605	125	56	2
1971	5,066	145	71	2
1972	5,499	166	123	5
1973	5,832	184	108	2
1974	6,109	175	120	1
1975	6,532	209	144	5
1976	7,333	233	114	2
1977	7,668	184	77	4
1978	8,105	148	77	1
1979	8,339	137	70	6

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	2,087	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	2,022	NA	72	15
1967-68	1,990	305	96	15
1968-69	1,870	290	121	16
1969-70	1,807	365	120	18
1970-71	1,809	504	112	8
1971-72	1,773	262	105	14
1972-73	1,711	280	113	13
1973-74	1,880	203	114	21
1974-75	1,874	244	120	19
1975-76	1,868	322	122	22
1976-77	1,848	252	109	20
1977-78	1,859	305	105	20
1978-79	1,815	504	133	33
1979-80	1,806	408	167	33

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 9,467,490	$ 3,021,933	$ 1,357,394	$ 1,641,650	$ 1,085,750
1966-67	9,409,807	3,291,701	1,579,227	1,511,806	666,933
1967-68	10,070,303	3,342,605	1,503,726	1,858,577	752,988
1968-69	10,876,710	3,532,103	1,615,971	2,144,057	753,718
1969-70	11,252,180	3,701,649	1,704,921	2,372,197	760,342
1970-71	13,117,692	4,190,928	1,913,500	2,635,313	921,058
1971-72	14,368,558	3,936,123	2,083,318	2,839,931	1,124,941
1972-73	16,616,754	4,761,099	2,273,282	3,239,704	879,439
1973-74	19,002,304	5,447,701	2,384,647	3,320,305	990,860
1974-75	21,959,005	6,815,195	3,074,924	3,593,685	990,025
1975-76	26,771,070	8,021,938	3,973,055	4,491,169	999,049
1976-77	28,797,862	8,320,384	4,136,015	5,682,979	1,121,526
1977-78	31,076,167	9,454,227	4,517,338	5,048,906	1,462,300
1978-79	33,722,368	10,699,196	4,741,736	6,380,931	1,778,313

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 221,357.90
1966-67	225,798.90
1967-68	234,808.70
1968-69	252,397.30
1969-70	260,855.60
1970-71	301,305.70
1971-72	318,275.40
1972-73	376,551.80
1973-74	412,701.70
1974-75	477,444.00
1975-76	570,365.90
1976-77	584,418.40
1977-78	636,473.60
1978-79	707,145.10

Founded 1861

Transylvania

County Seat: Brevard
Elevation: 2,230 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Brevard, Rosman

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	241.7
WATER	0.5
TOTAL	242.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	124.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	17.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	5.8

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	16,372		
1970	19,713	0.6%	2228
1971	19,806	- 0.4	199
1972	19,706	- 1.3	152
1973	20,220	2.0	123
1974	20,737	1.9	133
1975	21,168	1.3	151
1976	21,325	0.1	133
1977	21,698	1.2	116
1978	21,940	0.6	118

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,782
1971	2,917
1972	3,328
1973	3,574
1974	3,925
1975	4,473
1976	4,998
1977	5,438
1978	5,949

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	7,475
REPUBLICAN	3,997
OTHER	1,016
TOTAL	12,488

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	8,080	7,770	310	3.8%
1971	8,020	7,610	410	5.1
1972	8,390	8,100	290	3.5
1973	7,960	7,760	200	2.5
1974	8,340	8,030	310	3.7
1975	9,190	8,450	740	8.1
1976	9,910	9,460	450	4.5
1977	10,050	9,500	550	5.5
1978	10,620	10,160	460	4.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	6,700	3,770	2,930
1971	6,530	3,390	3,140
1972	6,940	3,340	3,600
1973	6,730	3,570	3,160
1974	7,060	3,910	3,150
1975	7,280	3,720	3,560
1976	8,190	4,040	4,150
1977	8,290	4,110	4,180
1978	8,920	4,610	4,310

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	45	12
1966	NA	26	9
1967	NA	26	8
1968	NA	26	10
1969	NA	38	12
1970	NA	38	10
1971	NA	38	8
1972	9	38	6
1973	NA	38	4
1974	10	104	6
1975	NA	104	2
1976	13	104	7
1977	NA	104	4
1978	14	104	3
1979	NA	64	2

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 6,017	$ 38,146	510	616
1965 THRU 1969	100	39,312	8	453
1970 THRU 1974	0	15,332	0	117
1975 THRU 1979	0	44,570	0	765

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	8,751	$ 3,575,407
1966	9,055	3,696,958
1967	9,043	3,234,309
1968	8,263	2,799,922
1969	6,952	2,582,375
1970	6,040	1,807,000
1971	5,140	1,658,000
1972	5,061	1,805,000
1973	7,127	2,161,000
1974	7,416	2,117,000
1975	7,568	2,445,000
1976	7,858	2,252,000
1977	5,201	2,600,000
1978	NA	3,103,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	159	165	46	NA
1966-67	151	145	50	NA
1967-68	153	132	50	11
1968-69	157	118	51	12
1969-70	175	115	62	13
1970-71	210	100	61	9
1971-72	210	95	78	11
1972-73	174	85	87	9
1973-74	150	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	222	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	306	281	187	11
1976-77	338	266	190	6
1977-78	357	255	197	7
1978-79	404	241	202	7

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	16	3	29	10
1969	16	3	62	3
1970	17	3	85	3
1971	15	3	96	4
1972	13	5	93	3
1973	14	2	76	NA
1974	23	9	98	1
1975	37	7	95	0
1976	29	7	86	7
1977	29	5	NA	6
1978	25	6	NA	2
1979	24	5	76	3

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	91.13
MUNICIPAL	6.26
TOTAL	97.39
SECONDARY	
RURAL	296.50
MUNICIPAL	7.62
TOTAL	304.12
PAVED	242.52
UNPAVED	158.99
TOTAL	401.51

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	8,005	216	77	4
1966	8,527	235	96	5
1967	9,049	230	102	7
1968	9,775	217	93	1
1969	10,134	265	92	4
1970	10,315	283	98	7
1971	10,989	332	149	7
1972	11,885	326	139	3
1973	12,798	363	199	5
1974	13,296	386	260	2
1975	13,947	413	275	4
1976	15,077	516	256	3
1977	15,859	468	230	4
1978	16,649	486	284	4
1979	17,251	528	338	6

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	4,437	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	4,500	NA	135	111
1967-68	4,575	286	177	123
1968-69	4,489	402	179	107
1969-70	4,526	332	189	101
1970-71	4,559	586	208	75
1971-72	4,591	763	222	76
1972-73	4,626	598	223	84
1973-74	4,717	126	226	78
1974-75	4,814	484	249	80
1975-76	4,806	452	245	100
1976-77	4,937	963	225	103
1977-78	4,862	1,025	249	104
1978-79	4,790	1,112	252	152
1979-80	4,686	1,103	273	167

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 20,533,912	$ 6,311,171	$ 2,440,185	$ 3,849,221	$ 2,040,756
1966-67	21,139,272	6,574,180	2,844,142	3,903,985	1,877,953
1967-68	22,768,503	7,621,880	2,956,747	3,992,945	2,179,035
1968-69	23,963,392	8,216,360	3,283,502	4,238,896	1,728,056
1969-70	26,178,989	9,007,428	3,922,784	4,594,012	1,684,528
1970-71	27,590,607	9,877,670	4,001,588	4,817,654	1,717,182
1971-72	30,530,819	11,327,820	3,993,182	4,979,790	2,215,546
1972-73	35,804,190	13,460,171	4,373,392	6,117,324	2,952,563
1973-74	38,979,173	15,199,943	4,947,670	6,141,884	3,660,945
1974-75	41,925,284	17,726,995	5,176,993	6,202,802	3,676,051
1975-76	48,003,558	19,641,403	7,042,334	6,795,688	3,991,231
1976-77	55,542,225	21,742,402	8,800,566	7,744,363	4,079,520
1977-78	61,959,771	24,250,720	9,646,233	9,434,897	4,644,146
1978-79	68,829,082	27,808,326	10,316,247	10,179,713	4,921,966

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 531,758.60
1966-67	604,109.40
1967-68	660,919.60
1968-69	664,610.50
1969-70	693,172.60
1970-71	691,557.80
1971-72	763,817.70
1972-73	900,459.20
1973-74	992,748.90
1974-75	1,136,207.90
1975-76	1,289,238.80
1976-77	1,421,292.70
1977-78	1,538,535.60
1978-79	1,715,620.30

Founded 1729

Tyrrell

County Seat: Columbia
Elevation: 10 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Columbia

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	254.4
WATER	109.2
TOTAL	363.6
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	216.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	24.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	2.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	4,520		
1970	3,806	- 2.2%	212
1971	3,868	0.9	17
1972	3,838	- 0.5	- 10
1973	3,736	- 2.3	- 12
1974	3,776	1.0	1
1975	3,953	4.5	6
1976	3,927	- 0.6	0
1977	3,925	- 0.2	6
1978	4,029	1.9	29

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,046
1971	1,873
1972	2,700
1973	3,512
1974	3,469
1975	3,538
1976	4,331
1977	3,679
1978	4,505

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	1,803
REPUBLICAN	98
OTHER	6
TOTAL	1,907

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	1,390	1,260	130	9.4%
1971	1,500	1,380	120	8.0
1972	1,540	1,410	130	8.4
1973	1,560	1,430	130	8.3
1974	1,730	1,590	140	8.1
1975	1,840	1,640	200	10.9
1976	1,810	1,640	170	9.4
1977	1,720	1,510	210	12.2
1978	1,520	1,370	150	9.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	590	170	420
1971	670	170	500
1972	670	220	450
1973	690	250	440
1974	810	240	570
1975	840	200	640
1976	840	230	610
1977	780	220	560
1978	680	220	460

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	29	1
1966	NA	29	0
1967	NA	29	0
1968	NA	29	0
1969	NA	29	0
1970	NA	29	3
1971	NA	29	2
1972	2	29	1
1973	NA	29	2
1974	1	29	1
1975	NA	29	0
1976	1	29	3
1977	NA	29	0
1978	0	0	0
1979	NA	0	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 170	$ 0	25	0
1965 THRU 1969	90	0	75	0
1970 THRU 1974	0	0	0	0
1975 THRU 1979	0	0	0	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	16,811	$ 2,728,786
1966	18,082	2,319,569
1967	19,181	2,213,319
1968	19,255	2,539,454
1969	21,551	3,018,359
1970	21,672	3,522,000
1971	22,390	3,004,000
1972	23,844	4,841,000
1973	22,407	7,631,000
1974	26,854	8,784,000
1975	41,249	8,505,000
1976	38,009	10,949,000
1977	38,752	7,001,000
1978	NA	8,529,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	206	140	56	NA
1966-67	241	140	57	NA
1967-68	263	135	62	12
1968-69	244	126	67	14
1969-70	262	111	69	13
1970-71	276	94	64	13
1971-72	301	86	60	14
1972-73	262	65	60	14
1973-74	192	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	179	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	205	162	115	7
1976-77	208	131	112	5
1977-78	216	118	110	6
1978-79	234	121	100	3

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	4	8	9	0
1969	3	8	12	0
1970	7	8	11	0
1971	8	7	19	1
1972	4	8	32	3
1973	4	8	0	NA
1974	3	8	21	0
1975	9	6	31	3
1976	7	3	31	0
1977	6	1	NA	0
1978	5	4	NA	1
1979	8	3	31	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	45.39
MUNICIPAL	1.17
TOTAL	46.56
SECONDARY	
RURAL	143.30
MUNICIPAL	0.78
TOTAL	144.08
PAVED	140.44
UNPAVED	50.20
TOTAL	190.64

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	1,370	46	17	1
1966	1,426	38	15	1
1967	1,485	37	10	1
1968	1,512	41	24	2
1969	1,568	36	11	1
1970	1,567	42	23	2
1971	1,686	51	29	0
1972	1,795	43	32	0
1973	1,903	56	34	2
1974	1,990	51	25	0
1975	2,069	64	24	2
1976	2,249	63	33	4
1977	2,337	58	30	0
1978	2,460	82	31	0
1979	2,469	72	40	1

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	1,141	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	1,122	NA	26	18
1967-68	1,133	64	30	11
1968-69	1,107	86	34	13
1969-70	1,094	133	31	9
1970-71	1,066	212	32	10
1971-72	1,029	161	36	15
1972-73	1,000	332	30	18
1973-74	1,034	221	38	15
1974-75	1,023	193	40	11
1975-76	969	292	51	12
1976-77	930	141	51	12
1977-78	895	118	45	13
1978-79	885	110	47	11
1979-80	844	200	42	6

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 3,497,456	$ 955,159	$ 597,342	$ 634,909	$ 195,424
1966-67	3,750,699	1,071,114	575,216	594,714	189,219
1967-68	3,915,173	1,123,989	581,869	673,639	204,441
1968-69	4,376,874	1,192,041	626,878	812,524	225,326
1969-70	4,684,258	1,299,144	1,020,838	780,018	231,101
1970-71	5,545,280	1,416,874	1,694,337	892,156	293,314
1971-72	5,661,843	1,585,919	1,341,922	879,741	305,172
1972-73	5,934,276	1,736,186	1,333,607	908,969	326,154
1973-74	7,130,719	1,907,526	1,514,217	1,064,971	544,585
1974-75	7,939,352	2,120,558	1,624,976	1,130,261	657,391
1975-76	8,872,563	2,336,726	1,756,817	1,138,482	911,122
1976-77	9,615,670	2,500,885	1,956,284	1,258,613	863,995
1977-78	10,040,623	2,636,042	1,766,757	1,357,693	1,209,635
1978-79	11,884,227	2,860,529	1,936,388	1,640,793	1,467,770

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 68,545.20
1966-67	72,817.60
1967-68	76,272.20
1968-69	83,697.00
1969-70	90,060.90
1970-71	99,715.20
1971-72	112,489.70
1972-73	121,222.60
1973-74	142,924.20
1974-75	158,340.40
1975-76	172,467.30
1976-77	185,577.30
1977-78	201,481.70
1978-79	220,482.70

Founded 1842

Union

County Seat: Monroe
Elevation: 576 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Indian Trail, Marshville, Monroe, Stallings, Unionville, Waxhaw, Wingate

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	409.2
WATER	2.3
TOTAL	411.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	185.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	187.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	20.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	44,670		
1970	54,714	0.8%	6250
1971	56,232	1.0	808
1972	58,000	2.0	616
1973	59,120	0.9	574
1974	61,523	3.1	559
1975	62,153	0.2	512
1976	62,380	- 0.4	504
1977	63,505	1.0	524
1978	64,990	1.5	501

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,058
1971	3,238
1972	3,582
1973	4,158
1974	4,327
1975	4,665
1976	5,365
1977	5,815
1978	6,816

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	18,552
REPUBLICAN	3,758
OTHER	648
TOTAL	22,958

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	27,200	26,020	1,180	4.3%
1971	27,730	26,440	1,290	4.7
1972	28,830	27,830	1,000	3.5
1973	29,460	28,600	860	2.9
1974	31,020	29,860	1,160	3.7
1975	32,000	29,500	2,500	7.8
1976	32,160	30,510	1,650	5.1
1977	33,490	31,990	1,500	4.5
1978	34,720	33,550	1,170	3.4

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	14,860	7,900	6,960
1971	14,860	7,250	7,610
1972	16,260	8,350	7,910
1973	16,930	8,790	8,140
1974	17,450	8,870	8,580
1975	16,650	7,500	9,150
1976	17,630	8,180	9,450
1977	18,750	8,810	9,940
1978	19,460	8,990	10,470

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	167	42
1966	NA	191	41
1967	NA	191	39
1968	NA	191	39
1969	NA	191	15
1970	NA	193	26
1971	NA	193	24
1972	9	193	22
1973	NA	193	24
1974	7	188	21
1975	NA	188	8
1976	15	188	20
1977	NA	188	14
1978	18	180	16
1979	NA	163	17

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 6,726	$ 5,201	1,703	567
1965 THRU 1969	14,697	15,246	1,451	1,848
1970 THRU 1974	1,683	13,261	339	706
1975 THRU 1979	46,690	22,874	1,334	927

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	127,244	$ 22,366,714
1966	129,775	24,376,014
1967	130,089	21,987,809
1968	129,923	25,203,042
1969	125,071	30,917,945
1970	121,679	30,949,000
1971	117,302	30,116,000
1972	118,520	33,610,000
1973	115,899	54,835,000
1974	114,403	59,285,000
1975	116,205	63,144,000
1976	113,630	78,561,000
1977	127,296	77,698,000
1978	NA	107,319,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	323	287	104	NA
1966-67	325	257	106	NA
1967-68	372	244	121	32
1968-69	450	258	141	28
1969-70	634	286	163	29
1970-71	964	302	200	29
1971-72	1,477	323	265	30
1972-73	1,410	315	268	32
1973-74	1,227	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,628	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,893	725	424	21
1976-77	1,887	655	436	21
1977-78	1,859	619	446	21
1978-79	1,910	569	463	23

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	116	15	261	18
1969	93	17	316	9
1970	119	28	427	19
1971	99	17	250	8
1972	117	21	253	11
1973	103	26	265	NA
1974	146	23	334	24
1975	139	44	382	20
1976	122	45	352	9
1977	112	19	NA	13
1978	144	46	NA	19
1979	155	51	415	8

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	160.19
MUNICIPAL	14.69
TOTAL	174.88
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,108.78
MUNICIPAL	40.13
TOTAL	1,148.91
PAVED	1,063.99
UNPAVED	259.80
TOTAL	1,323.79

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	20,817	721	517	20
1966	22,323	888	567	19
1967	23,694	894	519	12
1968	25,204	868	531	23
1969	26,507	1,020	642	23
1970	27,384	1,083	560	18
1971	29,210	1,090	585	17
1972	31,558	1,144	590	27
1973	33,956	1,054	659	31
1974	35,257	951	633	23
1975	36,692	1,095	629	24
1976	38,792	1,195	719	19
1977	40,882	1,395	753	11
1978	43,661	1,466	803	13
1979	45,561	1,500	784	11

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

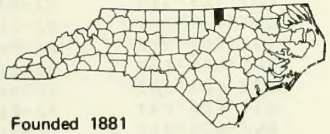
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	12,301	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	12,388	NA	327	319
1967-68	12,529	664	344	320
1968-69	12,826	676	386	278
1969-70	13,114	695	402	228
1970-71	13,382	886	435	213
1971-72	13,658	707	419	230
1972-73	13,908	1,056	425	257
1973-74	14,486	1,048	458	257
1974-75	14,814	1,391	474	284
1975-76	14,960	2,040	508	290
1976-77	15,620	1,898	531	432
1977-78	15,770	2,397	564	517
1978-79	16,022	1,696	569	493
1979-80	16,251	2,131	621	462

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 76,946,657	$ 15,320,941	$ 8,823,187	$ 12,299,398	$ 5,408,294
1966-67	82,205,447	16,862,151	10,420,527	13,128,383	5,447,968
1967-68	84,526,612	18,710,377	11,854,460	14,161,014	6,339,281
1968-69	98,075,233	21,066,331	17,127,541	14,925,813	7,904,774
1969-70	100,746,988	22,364,479	20,090,859	15,572,328	7,896,226
1970-71	116,904,397	24,136,334	29,128,516	15,963,698	8,585,423
1971-72	144,104,614	28,070,389	42,331,388	17,580,997	11,636,019
1972-73	156,629,259	33,699,650	39,795,104	19,964,999	16,987,178
1973-74	162,023,119	38,014,972	38,336,015	20,592,292	19,217,285
1974-75	168,608,226	42,442,252	33,502,306	20,778,817	20,130,771
1975-76	203,424,394	46,044,852	53,222,851	25,716,026	21,357,147
1976-77	216,663,101	47,310,311	49,678,912	30,521,860	23,661,442
1977-78	227,579,673	50,488,797	47,697,541	31,777,352	29,157,451
1978-79	271,191,299	57,201,956	60,398,586	36,818,989	38,818,538

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,250,422.30
1966-67	1,380,929.80
1967-68	1,487,294.40
1968-69	1,730,355.00
1969-70	1,911,740.60
1970-71	2,056,982.50
1971-72	2,456,421.50
1972-73	2,911,141.00
1973-74	3,220,927.10
1974-75	3,386,737.40
1975-76	3,828,236.10
1976-77	4,233,154.30
1977-78	4,780,325.70
1978-79	5,460,608.10



Founded 1881

Vance

County Seat: Henderson
Elevation: 513 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Henderson, Kittrell, Middleburg, Williamsboro

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	158.4
WATER	13.8
TOTAL	172.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	85.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	50.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	7.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	32,002		
1970	32,691	- 1.0%	3909
1971	32,147	- 2.3	406
1972	31,981	- 1.5	311
1973	33,071	2.6	249
1974	33,171	- 0.3	214
1975	33,203	- 0.4	162
1976	33,599	0.7	175
1977	34,213	1.2	223
1978	34,535	0.4	199

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,958
1971	3,374
1972	3,815
1973	4,103
1974	4,355
1975	4,657
1976	5,313
1977	5,523
1978	5,927

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	13,738
REPUBLICAN	1,088
OTHER	214
TOTAL	15,040

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	14,720	14,030	690	4.7%
1971	15,410	14,670	740	4.8
1972	16,510	15,720	790	4.8
1973	16,680	15,830	850	5.1
1974	16,420	15,360	1,060	6.5
1975	16,950	15,050	1,900	11.2
1976	16,830	15,650	1,180	7.0
1977	16,950	15,750	1,200	7.1
1978	16,790	15,870	920	5.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	12,310	5,400	6,910
1971	13,050	6,110	6,940
1972	13,880	6,850	7,030
1973	14,150	6,840	7,310
1974	14,080	6,550	7,530
1975	13,600	6,050	7,550
1976	14,230	6,520	7,710
1977	14,510	6,390	8,120
1978	14,810	6,410	8,400

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	89	26
1966	NA	130	20
1967	NA	100	26
1968	NA	100	17
1969	NA	100	21
1970	NA	100	18
1971	NA	100	13
1972	8	100	15
1973	NA	100	13
1974	9	100	8
1975	NA	100	11
1976	9	100	7
1977	NA	100	11
1978	12	100	13
1979	NA	100	10

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 965	$ 11,601	567	471
1965 THRU 1969	6,340	16,308	865	1,376
1970 THRU 1974	1,550	17,951	500	839
1975 THRU 1979	3,300	10,527	362	975

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	40,446	$ 10,122,185
1966	40,088	10,180,098
1967	40,035	10,817,974
1968	40,172	9,782,871
1969	40,009	11,885,065
1970	40,232	11,091,000
1971	38,688	11,461,000
1972	37,647	11,960,000
1973	34,983	14,859,000
1974	34,917	16,023,000
1975	33,437	14,529,000
1976	33,472	20,895,000
1977	35,229	16,416,000
1978	NA	20,801,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,147	345	200	NA
1966-67	1,314	344	226	NA
1967-68	1,293	347	227	21
1968-69	1,385	338	249	23
1969-70	1,486	341	274	31
1970-71	1,459	332	284	26
1971-72	1,447	338	289	26
1972-73	1,406	305	292	29
1973-74	1,567	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,964	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,244	817	641	33
1976-77	2,154	762	677	28
1977-78	2,256	743	716	32
1978-79	2,190	740	745	24

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	117	16	90	5
1969	91	10	138	4
1970	121	14	194	20
1971	115	21	181	18
1972	89	30	275	26
1973	89	18	264	NA
1974	114	28	294	13
1975	83	41	325	7
1976	111	32	313	16
1977	94	27	NA	9
1978	46	35	NA	16
1979	55	33	255	7

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	71.01
MUNICIPAL	9.75
TOTAL	80.76
SECONDARY	
RURAL	367.52
MUNICIPAL	13.00
TOTAL	380.52
PAVED	374.91
UNPAVED	86.37
TOTAL	461.28

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	13,056	579	407	15
1966	13,789	572	358	8
1967	14,362	606	334	17
1968	15,159	601	371	14
1969	15,777	696	411	20
1970	16,320	779	362	25
1971	17,553	876	475	10
1972	18,804	821	416	17
1973	19,991	714	389	25
1974	20,359	700	343	14
1975	21,254	661	349	9
1976	22,544	721	341	9
1977	23,215	899	405	3
1978	24,786	989	419	16
1979	25,308	905	385	9

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	9,057	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	8,931	NA	230	183
1967-68	9,037	374	232	198
1968-69	8,934	381	269	173
1969-70	8,976	601	276	152
1970-71	8,365	1,026	278	176
1971-72	7,839	1,237	293	173
1972-73	7,640	1,367	330	167
1973-74	7,859	979	332	158
1974-75	7,852	1,220	343	182
1975-76	8,129	1,467	354	154
1976-77	8,256	1,158	341	176
1977-78	8,489	1,269	360	167
1978-79	8,439	1,229	338	190
1979-80	8,297	1,375	373	195

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 50,395,510	$ 12,632,716	$ 8,350,937	$ 13,191,197	$ 3,152,643
1966-67	52,092,672	13,644,190	8,728,086	12,242,922	3,191,742
1967-68	56,886,402	14,080,496	9,761,204	13,302,751	3,790,561
1968-69	59,812,075	15,006,237	10,475,868	13,181,683	4,573,153
1969-70	69,374,263	17,282,619	14,373,395	14,170,768	5,575,754
1970-71	78,025,101	20,040,717	15,416,361	15,062,444	7,442,752
1971-72	87,695,058	22,499,566	17,438,968	16,736,726	6,737,041
1972-73	96,012,024	24,072,955	19,698,162	19,485,399	6,204,844
1973-74	104,083,312	29,137,049	21,350,923	18,855,297	6,833,243
1974-75	107,984,831	33,575,448	22,435,276	18,599,673	6,269,765
1975-76	121,399,583	37,098,294	25,880,625	20,213,497	6,539,732
1976-77	132,234,160	39,199,535	26,653,057	23,571,605	6,685,526
1977-78	142,166,520	43,273,016	28,135,929	25,834,410	7,827,570
1978-79	160,633,227	52,683,561	30,232,364	28,242,457	9,663,207

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,027,317.10
1966-67	1,102,603.70
1967-68	1,203,273.80
1968-69	1,327,852.40
1969-70	1,568,663.40
1970-71	1,752,836.60
1971-72	1,931,090.70
1972-73	2,113,824.80
1973-74	2,316,519.70
1974-75	2,399,269.50
1975-76	2,657,467.20
1976-77	2,867,675.80
1977-78	3,125,389.10
1978-79	3,545,612.80

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Wake

County Seat: Raleigh
Elevation: 363 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Apex, Cary, Fuquay-Varina, Garner, Holly Springs, Knightdale, Morrisville, Raleigh, Rolesville, Wake Forest, Wendell, Zebulon

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	550.3
WATER	3.4
TOTAL	553.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	322.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	134.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	68.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	169,082		
1970	229,006	1.8%	25698
1971	235,685	1.2	3189
1972	243,447	2.4	2150
1973	250,190	2.0	1794
1974	258,326	2.5	1803
1975	263,088	1.1	1863
1976	266,891	0.8	1824
1977	272,031	1.2	1832
1978	276,918	1.1	1840

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,911
1971	4,202
1972	4,542
1973	5,055
1974	5,511
1975	5,990
1976	6,559
1977	7,191
1978	7,987

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	94,519
REPUBLICAN	25,050
OTHER	7,686
TOTAL	127,255

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	105,420	101,970	3,450	3.3%
1971	109,790	106,180	3,610	3.3
1972	117,350	114,170	3,180	2.7
1973	122,660	119,920	2,740	2.2
1974	129,900	126,500	3,400	2.6
1975	134,800	127,940	6,860	5.1
1976	138,750	133,170	5,580	4.0
1977	144,570	139,310	5,260	3.6
1978	151,550	147,170	4,380	2.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	92,160	15,250	76,910
1971	95,980	15,380	80,600
1972	105,170	16,440	88,730
1973	113,160	18,030	95,130
1974	122,630	19,410	103,220
1975	121,380	17,470	103,910
1976	125,360	18,400	106,960
1977	129,250	18,800	110,450
1978	138,700	19,490	119,210

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	821	107
1966	NA	822	118
1967	NA	847	93
1968	NA	843	88
1969	NA	823	90
1970	NA	808	94
1971	NA	854	63
1972	105	856	84
1973	NA	890	64
1974	135	908	56
1975	NA	905	56
1976	151	905	55
1977	NA	905	55
1978	179	1,154	63
1979	NA	1,189	50

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 19,523	$ 12,676	2,869	1,315
1965 THRU 1969	33,470	14,054	2,860	1,225
1970 THRU 1974	35,518	22,244	1,664	1,303
1975 THRU 1979	79,080	44,589	2,936	1,321

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	115,361	$ 30,075,036
1966	113,045	33,773,971
1967	111,919	38,067,779
1968	106,531	30,402,420
1969	108,700	36,562,930
1970	102,563	37,179,000
1971	105,680	36,690,000
1972	96,844	38,947,000
1973	87,027	46,345,000
1974	NA	53,270,000
1975	104,551	55,713,000
1976	101,267	62,973,000
1977	99,901	55,326,000
1978	NA	69,475,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	5,436	1,481	806	NA
1966-67	5,365	1,407	795	NA
1967-68	5,137	1,373	809	165
1968-69	5,094	1,319	887	184
1969-70	6,192	1,352	1,015	201
1970-71	7,652	1,366	1,163	227
1971-72	8,839	1,324	1,349	248
1972-73	8,509	1,218	1,468	247
1973-74	7,856	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	8,631	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	9,625	2,504	2,528	235
1976-77	10,043	2,357	2,575	217
1977-78	9,309	2,321	2,637	213
1978-79	8,625	2,288	2,706	224

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	633	182	763	97
1969	438	210	745	110
1970	478	209	699	63
1971	629	214	863	58
1972	379	267	739	61
1973	402	238	998	NA
1974	455	294	1,520	44
1975	422	302	1,427	57
1976	416	304	1,434	31
1977	417	246	NA	41
1978	396	330	NA	28
1979	382	320	1,695	23

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	230.40
MUNICIPAL	45.17
TOTAL	275.57
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,305.27
MUNICIPAL	142.56
TOTAL	1,447.83
PAVED	1,380.97
UNPAVED	342.43
TOTAL	1,723.40

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	116,460	4,265	2,554	57
1966	129,204	4,659	2,360	83
1967	137,441	5,067	2,615	56
1968	143,466	5,544	2,506	71
1969	145,457	6,400	2,895	57
1970	159,648	6,992	2,971	64
1971	169,145	7,876	3,161	61
1972	182,227	6,966	3,365	70
1973	193,127	6,914	3,763	78
1974	203,347	6,988	3,752	44
1975	213,284	7,506	3,882	47
1976	214,825	7,920	4,062	58
1977	229,198	8,455	4,121	59
1978	244,600	9,645	4,699	43
1979	257,275	9,663	5,000	53

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

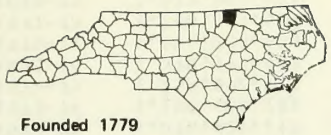
School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	44,802	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	46,579	NA	2,984	1,572
1967-68	48,189	1,382	3,268	1,479
1968-69	49,689	1,428	3,586	1,594
1969-70	50,801	1,650	3,918	1,344
1970-71	51,679	2,194	4,317	1,496
1971-72	51,588	2,406	4,582	1,547
1972-73	52,156	2,944	4,935	1,580
1973-74	53,413	2,603	5,191	1,273
1974-75	54,062	3,586	5,783	1,534
1975-76	55,502	2,411	6,322	1,707
1976-77	57,503	3,879	6,397	2,073
1977-78	57,715	4,069	6,739	1,933
1978-79	57,372	4,052	7,042	1,945
1979-80	56,830	4,356	7,447	1,631

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 510,309,173	$ 87,273,863	$ 113,399,280	$ 62,867,063	$ 77,383,720
1966-67	561,563,534	95,944,626	130,141,883	66,015,322	79,950,816
1967-68	599,584,744	108,840,520	132,210,280	70,359,695	86,016,665
1968-69	687,637,429	135,525,472	147,520,624	74,472,574	103,101,251
1969-70	744,446,046	148,754,670	159,441,740	83,217,985	105,838,965
1970-71	803,170,795	162,532,059	175,273,308	87,173,682	111,261,558
1971-72	928,578,990	179,328,233	203,302,253	102,656,297	129,746,580
1972-73	1,076,821,115	200,964,633	246,788,515	121,896,313	135,491,870
1973-74	1,199,468,781	237,755,036	277,958,306	137,992,329	145,288,918
1974-75	1,256,692,077	269,357,821	300,914,216	140,009,208	137,466,001
1975-76	1,379,175,962	298,983,661	315,869,487	157,821,175	146,337,572
1976-77	1,554,533,613	331,575,539	359,943,784	186,898,961	166,864,765
1977-78	1,748,553,634	361,631,156	389,974,437	215,876,590	206,273,869
1978-79	2,027,083,411	409,760,763	454,487,893	258,825,424	247,550,252

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 12,262,334.30
1966-67	13,586,484.60
1967-68	14,460,999.20
1968-69	16,543,375.00
1969-70	18,279,536.70
1970-71	19,734,220.40
1971-72	23,023,590.20
1972-73	26,027,180.70
1973-74	28,587,324.40
1974-75	30,388,033.50
1975-76	32,277,816.30
1976-77	36,521,167.70
1977-78	41,781,511.70
1978-79	49,308,956.10



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Warren

County Seat: Warrenton
Elevation: 451 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Macon, Norlina, Warrenton

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	273.8
WATER	12.6
TOTAL	286.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	188.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	66.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	8.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	19,652		
1970	15,340	- 3.2%	1327
1971	16,569	6.1	50
1972	16,929	1.9	51
1973	16,933	- 0.1	27
1974	16,528	- 2.5	19
1975	16,831	1.7	17
1976	16,465	- 2.4	35
1977	16,805	1.8	50
1978	17,088	1.4	51

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,294
1971	2,241
1972	2,414
1973	2,739
1974	3,038
1975	3,168
1976	3,742
1977	3,781
1978	4,184

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	6,588
REPUBLICAN	494
OTHER	48
TOTAL	7,130

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	5,220	4,940	280	5.4%
1971	5,070	4,810	260	5.1
1972	5,210	4,910	300	5.8
1973	5,070	4,770	300	5.9
1974	5,250	4,820	430	8.2
1975	5,570	4,760	810	14.5
1976	5,470	4,940	530	9.7
1977	5,160	4,750	410	8.0
1978	5,560	5,160	400	7.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,580	900	1,680
1971	2,540	890	1,650
1972	2,550	900	1,650
1973	2,470	880	1,590
1974	2,630	870	1,760
1975	2,580	780	1,800
1976	2,670	860	1,810
1977	2,630	860	1,770
1978	2,930	990	1,940

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	35	14
1966	NA	35	16
1967	NA	35	6
1968	NA	35	4
1969	NA	37	6
1970	NA	37	10
1971	NA	37	5
1972	3	37	5
1973	NA	37	6
1974	3	37	4
1975	NA	37	2
1976	1	37	6
1977	NA	37	4
1978	2	37	9
1979	NA	37	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 215	0	54
1965 THRU 1969	1,800	1,443	515	280
1970 THRU 1974	5,300	2,707	125	20
1975 THRU 1979	3,004	3,266	520	55

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	48,122	$ 9,969,285
1966	47,789	8,459,147
1967	48,072	9,349,135
1968	46,493	7,880,157
1969	45,169	9,593,855
1970	47,059	9,256,000
1971	47,365	9,146,000
1972	44,431	9,853,000
1973	45,008	11,931,000
1974	42,916	12,462,000
1975	40,228	11,700,000
1976	40,880	16,782,000
1977	39,336	13,672,000
1978	NA	16,300,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	710	273	152	NA
1966-67	775	259	157	NA
1967-68	767	242	158	31
1968-69	820	229	154	32
1969-70	876	234	161	28
1970-71	962	228	171	32
1971-72	1,014	223	179	29
1972-73	926	193	179	34
1973-74	818	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	858	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	967	588	406	28
1976-77	1,153	551	420	27
1977-78	1,213	541	413	21
1978-79	1,206	532	440	23

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	41	4	27	2
1969	46	6	49	1
1970	38	7	76	2
1971	39	8	65	1
1972	38	11	65	1
1973	17	11	71	NA
1974	37	7	92	1
1975	15	7	96	1
1976	28	4	105	0
1977	19	4	NA	2
1978	20	5	NA	4
1979	19	7	94	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	82.12
MUNICIPAL	4.08
TOTAL	86.20
SECONDARY	
RURAL	516.88
MUNICIPAL	4.17
TOTAL	521.05
PAVED	391.37
UNPAVED	215.88
TOTAL	607.25

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	5,395	186	160	8
1966	5,571	191	135	4
1967	8,140	188	155	11
1968	8,495	238	158	13
1969	8,681	225	124	7
1970	8,801	243	109	12
1971	9,414	252	155	8
1972	10,195	273	154	13
1973	10,697	256	148	4
1974	10,961	228	115	11
1975	11,424	226	152	6
1976	12,055	247	130	4
1977	12,696	277	172	19
1978	13,341	289	151	11
1979	13,788	234	166	5

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	5,947	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	5,710	NA	144	88
1967-68	5,532	137	163	87
1968-69	5,305	177	163	79
1969-70	4,386	163	165	66
1970-71	4,403	276	182	75
1971-72	4,206	362	172	82
1972-73	4,241	292	173	86
1973-74	4,373	267	197	67
1974-75	4,209	355	198	69
1975-76	3,978	378	210	67
1976-77	3,891	359	211	65
1977-78	3,738	505	214	89
1978-79	3,576	629	199	99
1979-80	3,492	540	197	99

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 13,102,347	$ 3,797,765	$ 2,740,063	$ 3,982,927	$ 616,466
1966-67	13,816,411	4,232,545	2,853,593	4,242,136	522,126
1967-68	15,021,486	4,337,686	2,993,900	4,515,924	543,649
1968-69	16,258,843	5,037,292	3,183,530	4,840,248	464,062
1969-70	17,300,802	5,333,048	3,462,238	5,134,408	490,327
1970-71	19,216,261	5,989,099	3,712,485	5,786,316	556,097
1971-72	20,745,188	6,227,908	3,734,445	6,067,378	753,215
1972-73	23,246,028	6,949,674	4,423,749	7,325,230	867,601
1973-74	26,986,928	7,898,411	5,483,806	7,897,852	1,365,360
1974-75	27,327,486	8,386,859	4,835,325	8,776,331	1,082,150
1975-76	28,655,278	9,443,765	4,970,517	8,230,786	1,434,190
1976-77	31,691,714	10,515,628	5,461,770	8,936,376	1,789,693
1977-78	31,985,873	11,622,809	4,621,280	8,643,063	1,799,745
1978-79	36,237,824	13,349,610	4,716,746	9,747,965	1,835,836

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 263,290.60
1966-67	278,339.00
1967-68	298,712.50
1968-69	325,043.60
1969-70	345,893.30
1970-71	386,211.40
1971-72	419,714.00
1972-73	466,195.40
1973-74	545,454.60
1974-75	510,201.20
1975-76	552,411.30
1976-77	596,843.20
1977-78	622,076.60
1978-79	694,295.20

Founded 1799

Washington

County Seat: Plymouth
Elevation: 21 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Creswell, Plymouth, Roper

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	214.7
WATER	55.0
TOTAL	269.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	123.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	66.6
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	6.5

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	13,488		
1970	14,038	- 0.9%	1820
1971	14,003	- 1.3	193
1972	13,539	- 4.1	109
1973	13,826	1.4	100
1974	14,004	0.6	98
1975	15,119	7.3	91
1976	14,850	- 2.6	123
1977	14,979	- 0.1	139
1978	15,013	- 0.6	129

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,710
1971	2,535
1972	3,126
1973	3,817
1974	4,270
1975	4,159
1976	4,802
1977	5,333
1978	6,217

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	6,488
REPUBLICAN	394
OTHER	147
TOTAL	7,029

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	5,480	5,150	330	6.0%
1971	5,520	5,210	310	5.6
1972	5,930	5,590	340	5.7
1973	6,000	5,750	250	4.2
1974	6,370	6,110	260	4.2
1975	6,640	6,130	510	7.7
1976	6,790	6,410	380	5.6
1977	6,850	6,400	450	6.6
1978	6,810	6,490	320	4.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,090	400	1,690
1971	2,090	370	1,720
1972	2,040	380	1,660
1973	2,130	440	1,690
1974	2,340	460	1,880
1975	2,590	500	2,090
1976	2,750	560	2,190
1977	2,780	560	2,220
1978	3,110	570	2,540

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	39	11
1966	NA	39	12
1967	NA	39	7
1968	NA	39	8
1969	NA	39	13
1970	NA	36	13
1971	NA	36	10
1972	3	36	8
1973	NA	36	2
1974	4	50	7
1975	NA	50	7
1976	5	50	8
1977	NA	50	1
1978	6	50	4
1979	NA	50	5

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 50,850	$ 160	585	46
1965 THRU 1969	30	0	100	0
1970 THRU 1974	0	345	0	120
1975 THRU 1979	0	35	0	0

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	49,964	$ 5,365,817
1966	53,397	5,548,405
1967	55,821	6,298,870
1968	57,101	6,023,447
1969	61,456	7,082,870
1970	65,598	8,066,000
1971	67,470	7,280,000
1972	69,705	9,816,000
1973	69,690	15,161,000
1974	82,402	18,846,000
1975	79,048	16,624,000
1976	75,436	19,115,000
1977	79,337	20,309,000
1978	NA	26,284,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	245	121	53	NA
1966-67	264	117	50	NA
1967-68	350	115	58	15
1968-69	482	118	68	15
1969-70	668	122	79	11
1970-71	913	127	106	12
1971-72	1,008	120	106	21
1972-73	923	107	110	25
1973-74	940	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	813	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	888	231	239	21
1976-77	850	213	241	19
1977-78	739	212	254	19
1978-79	734	208	250	18

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	23	8	72	2
1969	41	12	68	1
1970	40	13	4	4
1971	30	13	43	4
1972	53	17	42	4
1973	22	16	46	NA
1974	35	22	68	8
1975	32	16	92	3
1976	53	12	107	1
1977	39	13	NA	10
1978	25	17	NA	3
1979	44	15	109	3

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	52.93
MUNICIPAL	3.28
TOTAL	56.21
SECONDARY	
RURAL	220.95
MUNICIPAL	11.43
TOTAL	232.38
PAVED	205.69
UNPAVED	82.90
TOTAL	288.59

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	5,305	132	60	4
1966	5,706	159	109	5
1967	6,071	156	77	3
1968	6,384	131	70	7
1969	6,509	139	97	5
1970	6,718	196	69	4
1971	7,181	210	74	5
1972	7,610	221	140	5
1973	8,179	205	116	10
1974	8,678	266	138	3
1975	9,263	281	153	7
1976	9,816	276	142	4
1977	10,258	272	142	4
1978	10,626	261	151	1
1979	10,818	238	173	4

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	4,296	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	4,188	NA	153	26
1967-68	4,171	261	145	34
1968-69	4,141	256	156	49
1969-70	4,021	367	156	57
1970-71	3,909	584	160	61
1971-72	3,815	388	162	47
1972-73	3,797	705	146	52
1973-74	3,866	580	166	40
1974-75	3,984	598	182	45
1975-76	3,948	834	206	51
1976-77	3,970	600	207	47
1977-78	3,779	760	223	52
1978-79	3,648	702	227	40
1979-80	3,511	644	232	41

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 17,015,930	$ 4,192,790	$ 4,741,931	$ 3,173,039	$ 531,501
1966-67	17,461,773	4,610,917	4,631,044	3,323,865	626,895
1967-68	19,166,593	4,820,241	4,301,846	3,689,394	730,614
1968-69	20,742,488	5,091,674	4,549,271	4,063,135	854,692
1969-70	22,873,894	5,545,620	5,388,524	4,357,102	897,683
1970-71	26,831,290	5,920,005	7,076,713	4,777,575	1,050,898
1971-72	28,800,636	6,290,467	7,404,307	5,196,097	1,279,537
1972-73	30,409,174	6,914,866	6,482,803	5,400,882	1,670,426
1973-74	36,828,711	8,236,134	8,303,225	6,464,845	2,388,229
1974-75	45,022,062	9,846,375	12,119,669	7,608,194	2,532,639
1975-76	48,393,689	11,817,391	13,111,849	8,393,827	1,953,332
1976-77	54,554,301	13,115,336	13,376,464	9,285,620	2,712,266
1977-78	56,250,578	14,323,658	13,675,363	9,308,398	1,586,758
1978-79	61,313,268	15,162,961	17,141,302	8,964,133	1,683,808

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 606,234.00
1966-67	345,643.00
1967-68	370,689.40
1968-69	394,193.00
1969-70	437,891.80
1970-71	495,028.10
1971-72	541,626.90
1972-73	596,853.90
1973-74	692,068.70
1974-75	777,221.20
1975-76	842,807.80
1976-77	947,210.70
1977-78	1,023,086.30
1978-79	1,038,936.90

Founded 1849

Watauga

County Seat: Boone
Elevation: 3,266 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Blowing Rock (Part), Boone, Seven Devils (Part)

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	204.0
WATER	0.8
TOTAL	204.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	117.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	63.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	8.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	17,529		
1970	23,404	2.0%	1954
1971	24,543	3.1	235
1972	25,540	3.4	159
1973	26,794	4.3	154
1974	28,169	4.5	168
1975	28,000	- 1.1	153
1976	28,108	- 0.1	133
1977	28,510	0.9	158
1978	28,015	- 2.3	159

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,447
1971	2,655
1972	2,997
1973	3,447
1974	3,382
1975	3,727
1976	4,122
1977	4,657
1978	5,202

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	7,300
REPUBLICAN	5,818
OTHER	1,081
TOTAL	14,199

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	9,470	8,970	500	5.3%
1971	10,100	9,640	460	4.6
1972	11,100	10,710	390	3.5
1973	12,630	12,300	330	2.6
1974	12,850	12,280	570	4.4
1975	12,890	11,610	1,280	9.9
1976	13,450	12,620	830	6.2
1977	14,680	14,000	680	4.6
1978	15,060	14,460	600	4.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	6,460	1,740	4,720
1971	7,060	1,760	5,300
1972	7,820	2,120	5,700
1973	9,200	2,430	6,770
1974	9,380	2,430	6,950
1975	8,700	1,710	6,990
1976	9,540	1,770	7,770
1977	10,770	2,070	8,700
1978	11,250	1,870	9,380

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	65	9
1966	NA	60	10
1967	NA	116	13
1968	NA	190	13
1969	NA	184	10
1970	NA	184	10
1971	NA	184	5
1972	9	184	6
1973	NA	184	7
1974	11	184	2
1975	NA	184	4
1976	18	184	2
1977	NA	184	5
1978	17	184	5
1979	NA	189	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 680	$ 1,415	350	490
1965 THRU 1969	680	2,012	75	227
1970 THRU 1974	52	853	4	230
1975 THRU 1979	0	616	0	12

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	18,867	$ 3,336,474
1966	19,332	3,634,863
1967	18,759	3,510,806
1968	17,615	3,733,411
1969	15,065	4,290,114
1970	16,314	4,639,000
1971	15,794	4,064,000
1972	20,089	4,410,000
1973	21,949	6,618,000
1974	15,175	5,943,000
1975	13,299	7,134,000
1976	14,010	6,904,000
1977	12,983	7,457,000
1978	NA	10,342,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	495	220	101	NA
1966-67	485	207	100	NA
1967-68	480	208	101	33
1968-69	415	192	99	31
1969-70	354	174	91	30
1970-71	347	159	103	29
1971-72	297	145	109	29
1972-73	283	126	110	27
1973-74	308	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	346	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	413	404	246	25
1976-77	430	379	244	27
1977-78	422	380	274	27
1978-79	382	353	300	25

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	8	5	24	2
1969	19	3	32	3
1970	18	0	38	3
1971	29	5	52	0
1972	18	4	80	3
1973	12	5	100	NA
1974	11	4	103	0
1975	54	5	107	0
1976	37	7	104	0
1977	18	6	NA	3
1978	37	2	NA	2
1979	21	8	65	1

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	78.43
MUNICIPAL	12.00
TOTAL	90.43
SECONDARY	
RURAL	468.03
MUNICIPAL	13.86
TOTAL	481.89
PAVED	269.22
UNPAVED	303.10
TOTAL	572.32

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	7,924	327	187	6
1966	8,557	362	150	2
1967	8,992	393	177	8
1968	9,700	414	203	10
1969	10,247	511	208	12
1970	10,794	591	182	5
1971	11,644	594	199	8
1972	12,758	585	171	8
1973	14,204	710	297	5
1974	14,882	697	275	6
1975	15,586	706	336	9
1976	17,154	825	345	6
1977	17,967	922	313	3
1978	19,245	926	352	6
1979	19,742	928	388	6

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,988	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	4,081	NA	243	29
1967-68	4,121	176	336	36
1968-69	4,204	511	323	39
1969-70	4,331	487	338	30
1970-71	4,483	613	412	30
1971-72	4,449	590	542	40
1972-73	4,562	1,208	631	25
1973-74	4,910	779	623	37
1974-75	5,056	1,232	615	26
1975-76	5,083	1,150	656	27
1976-77	5,136	1,195	576	38
1977-78	5,085	1,311	539	35
1978-79	5,050	1,553	654	51
1979-80	5,007	1,451	712	41

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 29,252,553	$ 6,239,343	$ 4,601,425	$ 6,527,583	$ 2,992,092
1966-67	31,299,242	7,476,614	5,034,257	6,594,941	3,386,325
1967-68	34,692,403	9,100,162	4,967,140	6,791,956	3,603,870
1968-69	40,167,300	10,872,843	5,487,402	7,451,535	4,212,703
1969-70	46,117,533	12,900,250	6,189,003	7,811,960	5,356,350
1970-71	53,310,002	14,696,143	7,403,118	8,434,652	6,026,400
1971-72	64,784,797	16,168,704	10,708,880	9,477,657	8,037,559
1972-73	76,348,154	18,328,157	11,583,238	11,893,659	10,104,131
1973-74	81,040,250	21,568,349	11,935,339	12,068,509	10,699,953
1974-75	82,181,214	22,869,978	12,395,111	13,685,784	9,845,476
1975-76	92,520,326	25,159,869	15,972,629	14,327,825	10,432,070
1976-77	103,290,745	28,556,008	16,098,923	16,313,080	11,614,881
1977-78	124,385,454	33,996,611	18,374,540	20,456,449	15,779,393
1978-79	142,552,102	42,066,016	22,470,666	23,431,508	16,629,608

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 646,438.20
1966-67	720,538.80
1967-68	802,294.50
1968-69	934,918.90
1969-70	1,100,340.60
1970-71	1,297,454.60
1971-72	1,574,601.10
1972-73	1,829,265.60
1973-74	1,951,891.80
1974-75	1,954,321.20
1975-76	2,195,519.30
1976-77	2,465,725.80
1977-78	2,929,104.40
1978-79	3,344,509.60

Founded 1779

Wayne

County Seat: Goldsboro
Elevation: 111 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Dudley, Eureka, Fremont, Goldsboro, Mount Olive (Part), Pikeville, Seven Springs, Walnut Creek

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	354.2
WATER	0.8
TOTAL	355.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	159.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	156.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	14.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	82,059		
1970	85,408	- 1.1%	12940
1971	87,088	0.3	1313
1972	88,285	0.2	1005
1973	88,504	- 0.8	935
1974	89,718	0.3	907
1975	90,076	- 0.6	887
1976	90,145	- 0.9	902
1977	90,970	- 0.1	947
1978	92,639	0.9	886

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,985
1971	3,214
1972	3,562
1973	3,978
1974	4,473
1975	4,803
1976	5,264
1977	5,514
1978	6,185

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	24,280
REPUBLICAN	4,419
OTHER	613
TOTAL	29,312

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	31,210	30,090	1,120	3.6%
1971	30,730	29,400	1,330	4.3
1972	32,310	30,510	1,800	5.6
1973	33,500	32,130	1,370	4.1
1974	34,050	32,040	2,010	5.9
1975	35,490	32,470	3,020	8.5
1976	36,340	33,980	2,360	6.5
1977	36,280	33,910	2,370	6.5
1978	36,890	35,340	1,550	4.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	24,460	6,590	17,870
1971	24,130	6,210	17,920
1972	24,760	6,200	18,560
1973	26,620	7,150	19,470
1974	27,400	7,310	20,090
1975	27,460	6,750	20,710
1976	28,910	7,160	21,750
1977	29,330	7,410	21,920
1978	31,150	7,950	23,200

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	198	48
1966	NA	200	49
1967	NA	200	34
1968	NA	200	46
1969	NA	200	28
1970	NA	344	51
1971	NA	344	32
1972	24	344	44
1973	NA	344	32
1974	25	344	27
1975	NA	344	28
1976	33	344	40
1977	NA	344	27
1978	34	334	37
1979	NA	326	27

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 2,036	$ 3,011	821	189
1965 THRU 1969	19,275	8,874	2,410	533
1970 THRU 1974	33,916	19,305	1,797	907
1975 THRU 1979	46,827	29,321	1,089	1,398

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	144,898	$ 35,849,660
1966	146,816	40,634,485
1967	148,848	41,654,477
1968	149,082	38,121,058
1969	146,901	49,847,106
1970	148,516	46,544,000
1971	146,502	46,242,000
1972	143,929	53,301,000
1973	142,695	72,576,000
1974	NA	84,949,000
1975	147,375	88,138,000
1976	153,077	91,843,000
1977	173,107	84,969,000
1978	NA	110,804,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,583	754	353	NA
1966-67	1,902	753	370	NA
1967-68	2,132	774	399	112
1968-69	2,480	774	464	112
1969-70	3,250	815	544	114
1970-71	3,920	802	591	111
1971-72	4,688	801	672	115
1972-73	4,527	725	709	101
1973-74	3,954	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	3,907	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	4,196	1,657	1,638	98
1976-77	4,478	1,598	1,839	105
1977-78	4,464	1,572	1,924	107
1978-79	4,327	1,478	1,955	95

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	136	33	275	33
1969	180	38	435	34
1970	135	35	237	43
1971	134	41	331	36
1972	85	42	273	28
1973	89	34	342	NA
1974	84	40	506	31
1975	134	47	573	21
1976	116	58	566	20
1977	156	31	NA	24
1978	129	77	NA	18
1979	127	77	585	13

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	143.43
MUNICIPAL	20.66
TOTAL	164.09
SECONDARY	
RURAL	835.38
MUNICIPAL	24.97
TOTAL	860.35
PAVED	860.83
UNPAVED	163.61
TOTAL	1,024.44

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	33,840	1,223	714	31
1966	35,351	1,547	819	25
1967	35,939	1,562	869	20
1968	39,301	1,734	912	25
1969	40,836	1,902	1,047	34
1970	42,798	2,022	1,096	25
1971	46,125	2,134	1,150	23
1972	49,651	2,116	1,208	32
1973	52,489	2,056	1,191	32
1974	54,467	2,073	1,198	27
1975	57,039	2,267	1,288	22
1976	60,642	2,423	1,375	24
1977	63,609	2,466	1,321	12
1978	66,987	2,605	1,389	28
1979	68,547	2,505	1,343	32

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	22,379	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	22,657	NA	623	441
1967-68	22,754	1,192	724	486
1968-69	22,905	2,178	735	450
1969-70	22,623	2,793	767	357
1970-71	22,188	3,658	827	398
1971-72	22,053	3,892	876	337
1972-73	21,727	3,733	905	361
1973-74	21,928	3,790	940	299
1974-75	21,472	4,234	989	369
1975-76	21,346	5,588	1,067	387
1976-77	21,345	5,062	1,083	369
1977-78	21,252	5,089	1,114	402
1978-79	20,955	5,129	1,140	412
1979-80	20,450	4,749	1,269	434

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 130,137,494	$ 26,468,304	$ 27,494,716	$ 21,187,389	$ 13,484,601
1966-67	133,667,821	27,844,842	28,800,343	21,867,709	12,996,544
1967-68	143,553,600	29,514,175	30,593,007	23,386,553	14,009,265
1968-69	160,185,795	32,121,741	34,762,589	25,349,418	16,876,093
1969-70	171,010,727	36,084,505	37,886,393	27,409,056	15,231,672
1970-71	187,378,530	39,662,262	40,246,040	31,055,572	16,305,353
1971-72	213,317,998	45,402,830	41,541,008	33,463,625	20,787,633
1972-73	235,154,750	51,782,590	44,630,439	37,251,140	22,316,827
1973-74	268,903,012	59,460,980	53,393,710	43,042,195	24,065,500
1974-75	290,274,672	65,993,429	57,645,489	49,931,418	24,165,217
1975-76	327,741,398	76,336,429	64,166,064	55,806,493	27,120,153
1976-77	354,517,458	73,160,379	73,826,442	61,970,076	29,909,347
1977-78	396,720,384	84,945,543	84,126,608	70,636,218	34,021,105
1978-79	441,541,377	93,499,652	93,391,650	79,238,940	39,698,358

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,809,831.10
1966-67	2,935,144.30
1967-68	3,133,014.90
1968-69	3,527,713.30
1969-70	3,843,497.30
1970-71	4,211,175.90
1971-72	4,783,803.80
1972-73	5,222,982.90
1973-74	5,758,702.70
1974-75	6,127,283.20
1975-76	6,906,827.40
1976-77	7,487,917.90
1977-78	8,324,654.70
1978-79	9,220,533.80

Founded 1778

Wilkes

County Seat: Wilkesboro
Elevation: 1,042 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Elkin (Part), North Wilkesboro, Ronda, Wilkesboro

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	486.2
WATER	6.0
TOTAL	492.2
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	356.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	78.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	25.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	45,269		
1970	49,524	- 0.2%	5365
1971	51,108	1.6	601
1972	52,138	1.1	464
1973	52,886	0.6	415
1974	53,576	0.6	380
1975	53,991	0.1	357
1976	54,207	- 0.2	344
1977	54,815	0.5	357
1978	55,636	0.8	357

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,813
1971	3,088
1972	3,404
1973	3,980
1974	4,300
1975	4,714
1976	5,249
1977	5,866
1978	6,463

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	13,291
REPUBLICAN	16,463
OTHER	901
TOTAL	30,655

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	21,890	20,750	1,140	5.2%
1971	21,970	21,050	920	4.2
1972	23,640	22,940	700	3.0
1973	25,270	24,630	640	2.5
1974	24,050	22,890	1,160	4.8
1975	26,950	24,700	2,250	8.3
1976	27,820	26,440	1,380	5.0
1977	28,550	27,280	1,270	4.4
1978	28,740	27,620	1,120	3.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	14,490	7,340	7,150
1971	14,780	7,530	7,250
1972	15,930	8,300	7,630
1973	17,350	8,940	8,410
1974	17,430	8,450	8,980
1975	17,830	8,010	9,820
1976	19,130	8,820	10,310
1977	20,000	9,070	10,930
1978	20,580	9,430	11,150

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	100	31
1966	NA	99	28
1967	NA	99	23
1968	NA	99	19
1969	NA	99	23
1970	NA	159	32
1971	NA	159	22
1972	6	159	22
1973	NA	121	21
1974	8	121	16
1975	NA	126	12
1976	14	126	8
1977	NA	126	8
1978	11	126	10
1979	NA	127	13

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 1,925	$ 2,321	649	457
1965 THRU 1969	6,138	4,506	683	668
1970 THRU 1974	19,662	16,695	1,526	210
1975 THRU 1979	3,898	30,172	213	352

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	48,325	$ 35,048,642
1966	46,323	37,329,000
1967	46,105	36,271,555
1968	40,415	40,211,847
1969	39,561	47,187,422
1970	35,325	44,399,000
1971	33,652	43,845,000
1972	38,991	44,076,000
1973	34,066	66,735,000
1974	31,444	76,704,000
1975	25,731	85,275,000
1976	32,525	87,173,000
1977	37,718	98,214,000
1978	NA	102,258,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,222	674	339	NA
1966-67	1,125	618	323	NA
1967-68	1,056	584	313	37
1968-69	877	534	306	33
1969-70	928	510	316	36
1970-71	990	453	323	37
1971-72	1,012	427	321	43
1972-73	766	395	313	41
1973-74	687	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	743	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	746	1,016	740	38
1976-77	687	978	792	39
1977-78	598	967	834	43
1978-79	481	915	872	38

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	69	35	390	13
1969	55	38	369	10
1970	81	42	336	8
1971	151	39	360	9
1972	114	61	362	7
1973	106	48	363	NA
1974	124	54	408	15
1975	136	59	499	10
1976	95	51	481	12
1977	94	41	NA	16
1978	97	57	NA	11
1979	94	48	471	13

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	135.86
MUNICIPAL	13.24
TOTAL	149.10
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,102.79
MUNICIPAL	10.12
TOTAL	1,112.91
PAVED	704.20
UNPAVED	557.81
TOTAL	1,262.01

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	20,261	936	550	20
1966	21,632	1,041	486	16
1967	22,701	885	514	19
1968	24,300	1,055	596	22
1969	25,167	1,138	528	16
1970	26,126	1,090	483	24
1971	28,068	1,253	563	14
1972	30,628	1,025	503	33
1973	33,043	1,197	687	24
1974	34,443	1,094	648	21
1975	35,468	1,187	741	16
1976	38,986	1,353	752	16
1977	40,623	1,392	759	16
1978	43,265	1,520	927	13
1979	44,773	1,597	980	17

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	11,552	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	11,557	NA	300	156
1967-68	11,588	1,003	332	123
1968-69	11,588	1,250	356	116
1969-70	11,652	1,191	367	115
1970-71	11,778	1,731	396	102
1971-72	11,886	1,931	386	112
1972-73	11,733	1,975	403	96
1973-74	12,084	2,170	437	77
1974-75	12,301	2,784	409	89
1975-76	12,333	3,302	397	100
1976-77	12,659	2,921	394	125
1977-78	12,680	2,749	394	121
1978-79	12,439	2,847	388	141
1979-80	12,214	3,235	426	134

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 70,401,295	$ 16,997,813	$ 12,737,631	$ 13,778,119	$ 5,170,289
1966-67	70,270,392	18,411,637	11,985,878	13,383,096	4,949,037
1967-68	72,744,253	20,584,421	12,393,714	13,131,040	5,348,849
1968-69	79,314,961	22,824,381	13,742,692	13,557,860	6,870,406
1969-70	87,346,950	25,284,445	15,758,290	14,877,273	7,599,761
1970-71	100,752,397	28,340,880	15,764,768	15,624,722	9,762,971
1971-72	115,326,254	30,575,531	19,392,059	17,849,107	10,845,938
1972-73	122,014,458	35,072,035	21,445,557	20,308,486	9,956,165
1973-74	136,257,407	40,772,546	25,374,031	21,450,998	12,029,545
1974-75	138,663,781	47,236,295	21,983,034	21,890,614	12,185,527
1975-76	154,991,040	52,727,436	24,871,591	26,701,610	9,904,977
1976-77	164,931,542	53,337,287	27,603,325	28,804,758	9,253,771
1977-78	187,785,253	60,951,665	34,178,494	33,534,998	11,199,075
1978-79	207,047,935	70,220,172	36,175,233	36,143,652	17,874,286

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 1,373,865.00
1966-67	1,408,191.00
1967-68	1,441,699.90
1968-69	1,633,549.90
1969-70	1,854,256.30
1970-71	2,068,264.70
1971-72	2,374,492.60
1972-73	2,629,757.40
1973-74	2,872,508.40
1974-75	2,939,445.20
1975-76	3,380,638.80
1976-77	3,637,545.30
1977-78	4,191,717.20
1978-79	4,625,591.40

Founded 1855

Wilson

County Seat: Wilson
Elevation: 147 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Black Creek, Elm City, Kenly (Part), Lucama, Saratoga, Sharpsburg (Part), Sims, Stantonsburg, Wilson

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	238.2
WATER	0.8
TOTAL	239.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	110.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	110.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	12.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	57,716		
1970	57,486	- 1.2%	6758
1971	58,147	0.1	571
1972	57,513	- 1.8	407
1973	58,590	1.2	381
1974	59,431	0.9	307
1975	60,030	0.5	280
1976	59,892	- 0.7	305
1977	60,884	1.0	371
1978	61,190	- 0.1	365

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,935
1971	3,182
1972	3,579
1973	3,937
1974	4,502
1975	5,006
1976	5,619
1977	5,967
1978	6,937

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	20,566
REPUBLICAN	3,294
OTHER	307
TOTAL	24,167

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	25,300	24,060	1,240	4.9%
1971	25,580	24,310	1,270	5.0
1972	26,660	25,110	1,550	5.8
1973	27,300	25,610	1,690	6.2
1974	28,470	26,550	1,920	6.7
1975	30,150	27,840	2,310	7.7
1976	30,980	29,080	1,900	6.1
1977	31,880	29,470	2,410	7.6
1978	31,800	29,850	1,950	6.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	19,270	6,220	13,050
1971	19,760	6,340	13,420
1972	20,220	6,420	13,800
1973	20,970	6,700	14,270
1974	22,210	6,970	15,240
1975	23,480	7,270	16,210
1976	24,630	8,020	16,610
1977	25,490	8,090	17,400
1978	26,230	7,840	18,390

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	253	51
1966	NA	258	33
1967	NA	252	25
1968	NA	252	22
1969	NA	254	28
1970	NA	254	34
1971	NA	253	24
1972	25	337	26
1973	NA	337	31
1974	28	337	22
1975	NA	337	22
1976	26	337	16
1977	NA	337	19
1978	28	337	25
1979	NA	323	13

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 4,980	$ 6,174	566	1,236
1965 THRU 1969	5,947	10,996	890	768
1970 THRU 1974	90,805	22,555	2,675	655
1975 THRU 1979	46,730	36,485	1,021	1,266

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	102,543	$ 27,228,571
1966	102,038	28,539,260
1967	103,459	29,699,916
1968	98,995	26,970,628
1969	99,257	33,256,291
1970	100,175	32,111,000
1971	100,440	31,894,000
1972	99,597	37,396,000
1973	97,325	47,283,000
1974	96,368	56,169,000
1975	94,696	58,289,000
1976	94,533	55,850,000
1977	94,666	49,049,000
1978	NA	69,172,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,254	634	246	NA
1966-67	1,321	576	258	NA
1967-68	1,221	549	256	61
1968-69	1,236	505	259	63
1969-70	1,448	507	302	59
1970-71	1,754	517	351	60
1971-72	1,936	526	404	71
1972-73	1,903	503	472	68
1973-74	1,843	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,806	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,814	1,319	1,012	61
1976-77	2,081	1,252	1,049	49
1977-78	2,264	1,184	1,073	50
1978-79	2,574	1,139	1,130	40

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	178	38	167	17
1969	133	35	175	24
1970	156	49	211	34
1971	154	47	214	14
1972	156	39	203	27
1973	124	34	242	NA
1974	120	38	235	29
1975	121	40	319	26
1976	170	34	323	12
1977	154	43	NA	7
1978	109	55	NA	8
1979	91	63	367	8

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	127.57
MUNICIPAL	16.73
TOTAL	144.30
SECONDARY	
RURAL	538.70
MUNICIPAL	39.08
TOTAL	577.78
PAVED	616.45
UNPAVED	105.63
TOTAL	722.08

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	23,300	1,079	614	34
1966	24,659	1,132	712	25
1967	25,704	1,304	765	19
1968	27,165	1,386	801	35
1969	27,733	1,552	777	35
1970	29,069	1,530	802	38
1971	31,006	1,623	894	27
1972	32,883	1,566	960	29
1973	34,961	1,573	993	40
1974	36,224	1,541	941	37
1975	38,298	1,658	1,044	34
1976	40,563	1,869	1,041	29
1977	42,223	1,996	1,047	22
1978	44,166	2,073	1,165	26
1979	45,520	1,879	1,042	21

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	15,406	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	15,147	NA	459	503
1967-68	15,022	960	470	483
1968-69	14,846	1,353	456	466
1969-70	14,561	1,826	477	436
1970-71	13,884	2,428	528	469
1971-72	13,646	1,355	584	493
1972-73	13,466	1,840	595	537
1973-74	13,604	1,757	645	486
1974-75	13,619	2,649	656	489
1975-76	13,798	2,594	629	465
1976-77	14,018	1,778	665	506
1977-78	13,869	2,668	692	564
1978-79	13,914	2,469	683	531
1979-80	13,766	2,466	705	536

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 98,073,150	$ 22,043,404	$ 16,751,141	$ 22,582,357	$ 10,189,679
1966-67	106,658,515	24,142,927	19,251,615	22,606,889	11,017,507
1967-68	115,861,836	26,304,645	20,832,659	23,557,123	13,179,997
1968-69	126,969,269	28,476,928	23,157,403	24,719,294	14,610,458
1969-70	132,237,417	30,658,959	25,193,128	22,622,186	14,573,094
1970-71	141,589,492	32,842,521	27,443,134	24,771,753	16,174,302
1971-72	159,623,964	35,572,485	30,095,885	27,125,484	17,937,682
1972-73	178,627,016	39,596,002	34,194,664	30,552,818	19,569,196
1973-74	208,804,501	48,760,886	38,484,299	35,275,561	23,834,976
1974-75	226,352,905	56,852,147	42,911,429	38,593,886	22,466,334
1975-76	260,760,206	63,599,072	51,137,891	46,092,624	24,199,544
1976-77	284,644,559	67,922,227	53,791,768	51,445,351	28,289,135
1977-78	299,787,795	74,274,351	50,581,901	55,954,051	31,458,796
1978-79	341,520,602	81,341,750	63,660,890	62,026,391	33,324,520

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,022,470.60
1966-67	2,250,499.20
1967-68	2,496,288.00
1968-69	2,722,486.20
1969-70	2,924,388.70
1970-71	3,204,578.80
1971-72	3,612,570.30
1972-73	4,009,317.00
1973-74	4,680,863.30
1974-75	5,065,123.80
1975-76	5,734,221.70
1976-77	6,197,581.40
1977-78	6,654,959.50
1978-79	7,330,224.30

Founded 1850

Yadkin

County Seat: Yadkinville
Elevation: 960 ft.

Incorporated Municipalities: Arlington, Boonville, East Bend, Jonesville, Yadkinville

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	213.3
WATER	2.4
TOTAL	215.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	97.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	94.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	10.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	22,804		
1970	24,599	- 0.2%	2365
1971	25,188	1.1	240
1972	25,752	1.5	180
1973	26,065	0.7	125
1974	26,646	1.8	101
1975	26,702	- 0.3	137
1976	26,904	0.3	117
1977	26,829	- 0.6	73
1978	26,915	0.1	55

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,974
1971	3,109
1972	3,415
1973	4,118
1974	4,497
1975	4,871
1976	5,511
1977	6,011
1978	6,783

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	6,458
REPUBLICAN	8,357
OTHER	582
TOTAL	15,397

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	11,560	10,860	700	6.1%
1971	11,790	11,070	720	6.1
1972	12,040	11,550	490	4.1
1973	12,270	11,780	490	4.0
1974	13,360	12,690	670	5.0
1975	13,310	12,290	1,020	7.7
1976	13,650	12,830	820	6.0
1977	14,200	13,440	760	5.4
1978	14,420	13,720	700	4.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	2,660	640	2,020
1971	3,110	830	2,280
1972	3,380	1,090	2,290
1973	3,850	1,300	2,550
1974	4,080	1,360	2,720
1975	4,080	1,450	2,630
1976	4,830	1,700	3,130
1977	4,810	1,740	3,070
1978	5,210	1,660	3,550

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	69	10
1966	NA	64	5
1967	NA	64	10
1968	NA	64	8
1969	NA	70	7
1970	NA	70	10
1971	NA	70	6
1972	4	70	5
1973	NA	70	2
1974	4	70	5
1975	NA	70	4
1976	4	70	6
1977	NA	70	6
1978	3	70	3
1979	NA	68	2

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 287	$ 310	200	10
1965 THRU 1969	1,000	183	30	113
1970 THRU 1974	8,650	11,095	371	356
1975 THRU 1979	5,625	29,523	141	425

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	69,433	$ 13,438,577
1966	71,454	13,836,409
1967	71,479	14,995,208
1968	70,839	15,080,977
1969	69,098	18,563,039
1970	69,010	17,713,000
1971	69,143	16,342,000
1972	69,914	15,820,000
1973	67,779	23,664,000
1974	63,635	26,310,000
1975	65,099	26,776,000
1976	65,840	29,796,000
1977	65,673	29,573,000
1978	NA	34,827,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	307	216	119	NA
1966-67	313	216	117	NA
1967-68	271	212	110	17
1968-69	204	205	129	19
1969-70	234	190	148	17
1970-71	296	180	159	20
1971-72	316	165	167	26
1972-73	305	161	177	26
1973-74	273	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	394	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	452	392	358	23
1976-77	438	376	383	20
1977-78	379	368	387	15
1978-79	352	344	398	17

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	29	2	68	5
1969	41	4	79	5
1970	28	4	72	2
1971	29	3	109	4
1972	26	5	99	5
1973	34	3	101	NA
1974	29	8	121	3
1975	33	11	139	4
1976	37	15	167	1
1977	38	9	NA	4
1978	28	12	NA	4
1979	31	8	152	4

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	82.63
MUNICIPAL	8.33
TOTAL	90.96
SECONDARY	
RURAL	566.56
MUNICIPAL	14.45
TOTAL	581.01
PAVED	438.93
UNPAVED	233.04
TOTAL	671.97

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	12,795	266	200	13
1966	13,564	299	231	5
1967	14,045	321	212	15
1968	14,869	304	175	9
1969	15,155	390	245	9
1970	15,427	405	233	9
1971	16,389	434	195	5
1972	17,711	407	221	7
1973	18,887	419	238	14
1974	19,272	400	185	3
1975	20,073	400	205	6
1976	21,338	419	188	9
1977	22,266	484	239	12
1978	23,403	514	254	6
1979	23,890	530	306	17

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	5,469	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	5,465	NA	123	99
1967-68	5,379	328	145	111
1968-69	5,502	500	159	93
1969-70	5,442	497	197	91
1970-71	5,460	447	216	81
1971-72	5,567	746	215	70
1972-73	5,599	499	216	76
1973-74	5,679	546	195	68
1974-75	5,715	851	187	85
1975-76	5,823	1,288	201	79
1976-77	5,868	967	185	82
1977-78	5,846	1,071	174	71
1978-79	5,756	1,126	189	88
1979-80	5,759	1,375	209	75

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 26,134,225	$ 6,471,561	$ 1,869,678	$ 6,290,604	$ 2,048,911
1966-67	27,039,402	6,602,661	2,132,245	6,811,897	2,065,186
1967-68	29,421,733	7,014,092	2,371,325	7,541,027	1,877,178
1968-69	33,926,327	7,655,148	2,720,294	8,819,460	2,344,912
1969-70	35,990,981	8,576,716	2,666,598	9,318,265	2,717,237
1970-71	39,168,662	8,688,443	3,269,902	9,716,126	3,150,556
1971-72	48,834,847	11,927,789	4,715,081	10,686,674	4,256,380
1972-73	56,740,186	13,449,991	6,024,795	11,828,609	5,833,811
1973-74	59,633,777	15,218,172	7,341,496	11,401,954	5,756,786
1974-75	60,968,591	16,813,995	7,774,428	12,404,958	4,794,258
1975-76	69,409,855	17,554,937	7,817,884	14,957,240	5,817,386
1976-77	73,595,664	19,128,907	8,550,737	15,157,731	6,118,470
1977-78	80,785,453	21,179,499	9,108,357	17,242,478	8,371,321
1978-79	89,345,576	24,109,124	10,254,001	18,296,549	9,790,648

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 485,325.20
1966-67	497,756.00
1967-68	531,752.10
1968-69	592,456.10
1969-70	655,994.90
1970-71	749,448.60
1971-72	978,006.50
1972-73	1,146,942.90
1973-74	1,209,515.70
1974-75	1,209,866.60
1975-76	1,333,996.40
1976-77	1,424,829.20
1977-78	1,559,156.10
1978-79	1,723,019.70

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County Seat: Burnsville
Elevation: 2,817 ft.

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	198.4
WATER	0.6
TOTAL	199.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	120.7
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	37.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	4.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	14,008		
1970	12,629	- 1.9%	1188
1971	12,958	1.8	51
1972	13,140	0.8	83
1973	13,362	1.1	83
1974	13,471	0.4	50
1975	13,990	3.4	55
1976	14,282	1.6	64
1977	14,416	0.7	39
1978	14,558	0.7	43

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$1,934
1971	2,056
1972	2,354
1973	2,738
1974	3,019
1975	3,205
1976	3,509
1977	3,804
1978	4,089

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	5,644
REPUBLICAN	3,417
OTHER	388
TOTAL	9,449

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	4,900	4,580	320	6.5%
1971	5,030	4,670	360	7.2
1972	5,470	5,160	310	5.7
1973	5,580	5,340	240	4.3
1974	5,300	5,040	260	4.9
1975	5,510	4,990	520	9.4
1976	5,700	5,310	390	6.8
1977	5,820	5,420	400	6.9
1978	6,000	5,760	240	4.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	1,960	960	1,000
1971	2,160	1,070	1,090
1972	2,310	1,230	1,080
1973	2,460	1,250	1,210
1974	2,380	1,160	1,220
1975	2,270	1,020	1,250
1976	2,440	1,110	1,330
1977	2,450	1,130	1,320
1978	2,830	1,210	1,620

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	33	3
1966	NA	53	5
1967	NA	53	4
1968	NA	53	3
1969	NA	23	4
1970	NA	24	7
1971	NA	24	6
1972	5	24	4
1973	NA	24	3
1974	5	24	7
1975	NA	24	3
1976	10	24	4
1977	NA	24	0
1978	9	50	2
1979	NA	50	1

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 0	$ 160	0	0
1965 THRU 1969	40	3,110	75	188
1970 THRU 1974	783	1,005	70	50
1975 THRU 1979	0	402	66	195

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	18,603	$ 3,212,424
1966	17,648	3,254,074
1967	16,436	3,259,860
1968	15,630	4,014,547
1969	14,804	4,002,433
1970	15,287	3,959,000
1971	14,700	3,586,000
1972	13,332	3,750,000
1973	17,988	4,853,000
1974	5,945	5,499,000
1975	6,426	5,452,000
1976	8,622	5,098,000
1977	7,869	5,490,000
1978	NA	6,596,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	560	296	123	NA
1966-67	449	264	125	NA
1967-68	406	242	124	21
1968-69	341	216	122	20
1969-70	299	202	122	22
1970-71	334	177	121	18
1971-72	324	172	131	22
1972-73	282	153	135	22
1973-74	254	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	247	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	198	452	278	10
1976-77	196	415	276	9
1977-78	160	415	285	9
1978-79	162	447	294	7

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	6	1	12	0
1969	13	1	19	0
1970	10	1	23	0
1971	7	3	27	0
1972	29	4	35	2
1973	8	3	43	NA
1974	16	4	48	0
1975	9	1	51	4
1976	13	1	55	0
1977	10	1	NA	2
1978	12	4	NA	2
1979	11	3	39	0

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	86.48
MUNICIPAL	2.49
TOTAL	88.97
SECONDARY	
RURAL	284.75
MUNICIPAL	4.05
TOTAL	288.80
PAVED	234.48
UNPAVED	143.29
TOTAL	377.77

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	5,038	164	105	1
1966	5,292	175	67	2
1967	5,576	178	75	3
1968	5,797	183	57	5
1969	6,007	208	45	3
1970	6,209	220	71	7
1971	6,571	241	134	5
1972	7,119	238	108	4
1973	7,641	228	148	4
1974	8,066	189	109	4
1975	8,944	241	120	3
1976	9,896	268	169	5
1977	10,439	279	183	3
1978	11,147	271	146	1
1979	11,270	251	146	4

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	3,317	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	3,161	NA	41	51
1967-68	3,047	149	31	76
1968-69	2,935	215	31	74
1969-70	2,769	140	46	50
1970-71	2,817	157	55	44
1971-72	2,824	158	57	35
1972-73	2,792	290	79	31
1973-74	2,976	279	59	33
1974-75	3,008	389	62	30
1975-76	3,033	383	82	60
1976-77	3,065	316	73	80
1977-78	3,050	454	73	75
1978-79	3,003	1,076	99	94
1979-80	3,012	889	90	100

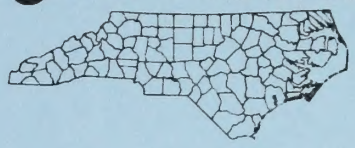
RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 10,112,392	$ 2,446,785	$ 1,829,721	$ 2,744,783	$ 722,556
1966-67	10,464,308	2,503,208	1,916,261	2,725,255	699,442
1967-68	10,650,673	2,485,756	1,954,708	2,897,918	698,340
1968-69	11,732,155	2,488,249	1,925,503	3,474,264	714,274
1969-70	12,346,667	2,710,840	1,991,864	3,785,915	711,804
1970-71	13,355,351	3,222,628	2,092,841	3,757,516	1,109,303
1971-72	16,473,681	4,363,227	2,359,398	4,224,057	1,549,681
1972-73	19,023,414	5,251,810	2,743,215	4,579,985	1,845,173
1973-74	23,665,127	7,549,980	3,733,209	4,981,169	2,001,656
1974-75	23,356,476	7,627,206	3,791,715	5,049,064	1,978,111
1975-76	25,897,841	9,052,489	4,199,966	4,901,316	2,186,827
1976-77	27,825,840	9,603,629	4,574,501	4,989,178	2,625,222
1977-78	31,544,244	10,728,222	5,068,477	5,959,036	3,057,203
1978-79	33,708,995	12,200,314	5,381,331	5,804,150	3,471,202

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 216,286.70
1966-67	224,703.20
1967-68	225,915.40
1968-69	244,315.40
1969-70	263,352.20
1970-71	288,543.70
1971-72	366,878.80
1972-73	432,449.50
1973-74	546,761.40
1974-75	532,035.70
1975-76	593,284.30
1976-77	650,126.60
1977-78	734,584.30
1978-79	797,716.00

Multi-County Planning Region Profiles



Because of a variety of private and public planning and development organizations in various geographical and political subdivisions of the State, a need for some type of uniform system of multi-county regions for planning and development activities was recognized.

The 1969 General Assembly enacted legislation defining a function of the N. C. Department of Administration as that of working cooperatively with counties, cities, and towns, and federal government, multi-state commissions and private agencies and organizations, in developing a system of multi-county planning regions to cover the entire State.

The following factors were used in reaching a tentative decision about where boundaries should be established:

1. The economic and social interrelationships between urban centers and the surrounding areas,
2. Existing cooperative programs among counties and municipalities,
3. At least three counties in each region,
4. A population base of at least 100,000 people in each region, and
5. The existence of mountain ranges or rivers that might separate one region from another.

Establishment of these regional boundaries was achieved by a coordinated effort of people from all levels of government.

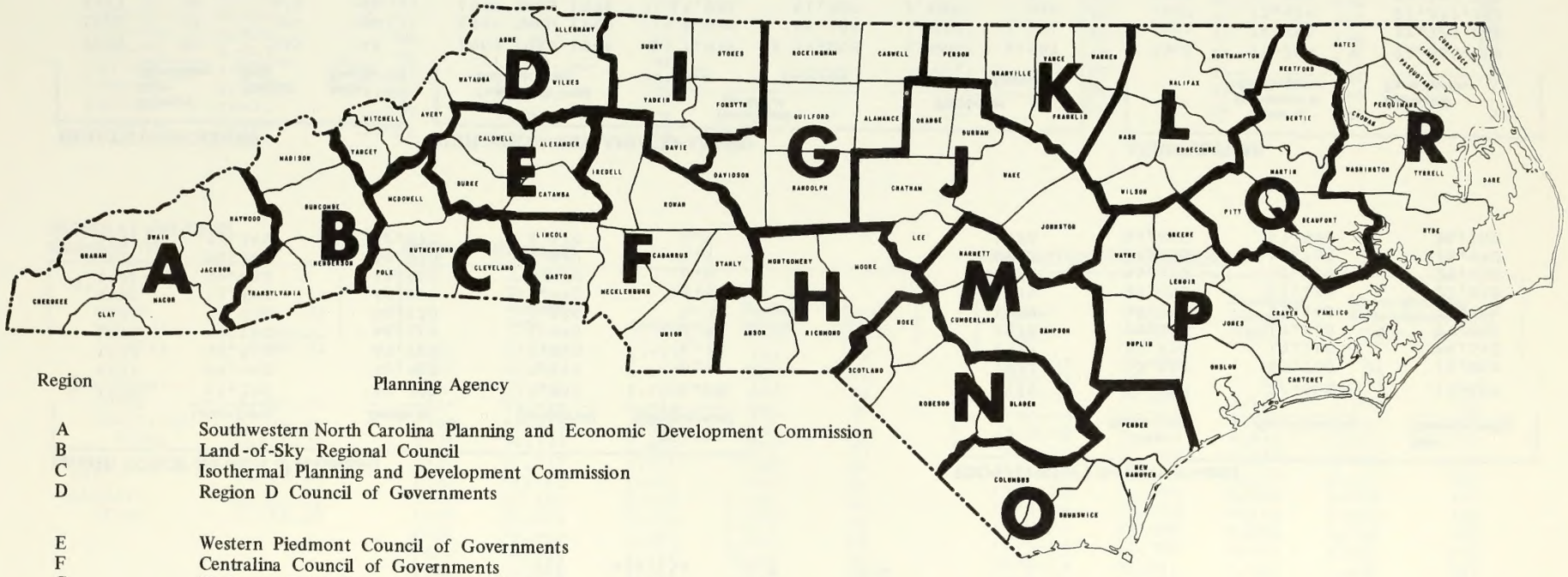
Following is an alphabetical listing of North Carolina's 100 counties, designating their respective planning regions:

North Carolina's 100 Counties and Their Designated Planning Regions

County	Region	County	Region	County	Region
Alamance	G	Gaston	F	Pender	O
Alexander	E	Gates	R	Perquimans	R
Alleghany	D	Graham	A	Person	K
Anson	H	Granville	K	Pitt	Q
Ashe	D	Greene	P	Polk	C
Avery	D	Guilford	G	Randolph	G
Beaufort	Q	Halifax	L	Richmond	H
Bertie	Q	Harnett	M	Robeson	N
Bladen	N	Haywood	A	Rockingham	G
Brunswick	O	Henderson	B	Rowan	F
Buncombe	B	Hertford	Q	Rutherford	C
Burke	E	Hoke	N	Sampson	M
Cabarrus	F	Hyde	R	Scotland	N
Caldwell	E	Iredell	F	Stanley	F
Camden	R	Jackson	A	Stokes	I
Carteret	P	Johnston	J	Surry	I
Caswell	G	Jones	P	Swain	A
Catawba	E	Lee	J	Transylvania	B
Chatham	J	Lenoir	P	Tyrrell	R
Cherokee	A	Lincoln	F	Union	F
Chowan	R	McDowell	C	Vance	K
Clay	A	Macon	A	Wake	J
Cleveland	C	Madison	B	Warren	K
Columbus	O	Martin	Q	Washington	R
Craven	P	Mecklenburg	F	Watauga	D
Cumberland	M	Mitchell	D	Wayne	P
Currituck	R	Montgomery	H	Wilkes	D
Dare	R	Moore	H	Wilson	L
Davidson	G	Nash	L	Yadkin	I
Davie	I	New Hanover	O	Yancey	D
Duplin	P	Northampton	L		
Durham	J	Onslow	P		
Edgecombe	L	Orange	J		
Forsyth	I	Pamlico	P		
Franklin	K	Pasquotank	R		

SOURCE: N. C. Department of Administration, Division of Policy Development

N.C. Multi-County Planning Regions And Their Planning Agencies



Region	Planning Agency
A	Southwestern North Carolina Planning and Economic Development Commission
B	Land-of-Sky Regional Council
C	Isothermal Planning and Development Commission
D	Region D Council of Governments
E	Western Piedmont Council of Governments
F	Centralina Council of Governments
G	Piedmont Triad Council of Governments
H	Pee Dee Council of Governments
I	Northwest Piedmont Council of Governments
J	Triangle J Council of Governments
K	Kerr-Tar Regional Council of Governments
L	Region L Council of Governments
M	Region M Council of Governments
N	Lumber River Council of Governments
O	Cape Fear Council of Governments
P	Neuse River Council of Governments
Q	Mid-East Commission
R	Albemarle Regional Planning and Development Commission

SOURCE: N. C. Department of Administration, Division of Policy Development.

Counties in Region: Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Jackson, Macon, Swain

Region A

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,942.0
WATER	40.1
TOTAL	1,982.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	877.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	181.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	32.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	109,106		
1970	115,998	- 0.5%	10456
1971	118,315	0.9	965
1972	119,767	0.7	681
1973	121,109	0.7	561
1974	122,935	1.1	546
1975	125,430	1.6	488
1976	126,331	0.4	405
1977	127,754	0.8	377
1978	129,156	0.8	428

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,449
1971	2,654
1972	2,969
1973	3,380
1974	3,615
1975	3,925
1976	4,352
1977	4,765
1978	5,257

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	47,351
REPUBLICAN	21,420
OTHER	2,918
TOTAL	71,689

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	45,320	42,390	2,930	6.5%
1971	45,090	41,980	3,110	6.9
1972	46,560	43,720	2,840	6.1
1973	48,160	46,210	1,950	4.0
1974	49,200	46,570	2,630	5.3
1975	51,540	45,950	5,590	10.8
1976	52,430	48,960	3,470	6.6
1977	53,790	50,170	3,620	6.7
1978	55,340	52,870	2,470	4.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	30,350	12,860	17,490
1971	30,560	12,500	18,060
1972	31,420	13,110	18,310
1973	33,340	13,460	19,880
1974	34,200	13,440	20,760
1975	33,640	11,310	22,330
1976	36,020	12,570	23,450
1977	37,230	12,760	24,470
1978	39,690	13,590	26,100

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	385	47
1966	NA	354	64
1967	NA	373	41
1968	NA	361	47
1969	NA	376	38
1970	NA	390	45
1971	NA	419	42
1972	40	427	34
1973	NA	424	40
1974	40	426	27
1975	NA	426	34
1976	57	426	15
1977	NA	439	29
1978	76	439	23
1979	NA	575	21

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 7,915	$ 38,092	2,969	1,187
1965 THRU 1969	8,949	45,200	1,309	2,101
1970 THRU 1974	13,050	41,805	1,182	915
1975 THRU 1979	17,710	65,450	1,313	1,257

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	77,204	$ 22,068,908
1966	74,896	22,328,844
1967	73,414	22,272,381
1968	71,761	24,587,305
1969	63,316	28,949,730
1970	62,038	23,434,000
1971	60,066	22,208,000
1972	58,500	23,881,000
1973	57,715	31,941,000
1974	48,872	30,387,000
1975	48,813	30,408,000
1976	52,575	32,161,000
1977	54,661	33,879,000
1978	NA	39,465,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	2,759	2,022	696	NA
1966-67	2,417	1,834	708	NA
1967-68	2,207	1,676	707	125
1968-69	2,133	1,560	729	120
1969-70	2,226	1,518	759	116
1970-71	2,351	1,428	775	117
1971-72	2,343	1,331	789	119
1972-73	2,084	1,197	805	116
1973-74	1,858	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	1,843	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	1,863	3,280	1,805	106
1976-77	1,855	3,091	1,844	103
1977-78	1,821	3,039	1,869	108
1978-79	1,725	2,902	1,936	93

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	147	17	482	34
1969	100	21	432	34
1970	152	25	521	19
1971	144	22	498	11
1972	172	40	472	9
1973	185	49	636	NA
1974	170	62	603	16
1975	199	78	690	12
1976	125	51	671	22
1977	108	32	NA	18
1978	96	38	NA	7
1979	109	49	761	7

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	560.02
MUNICIPAL	39.22
TOTAL	599.24
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,487.53
MUNICIPAL	68.85
TOTAL	2,556.38
PAVED	1,792.89
UNPAVED	1,362.73
TOTAL	3,155.62

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	47,715	1,515	762	27
1966	50,580	1,638	787	26
1967	53,096	1,700	865	32
1968	56,172	1,748	846	25
1969	57,914	1,931	892	34
1970	59,177	1,905	926	28
1971	62,837	1,916	849	35
1972	67,516	1,972	935	39
1973	72,471	2,055	1,102	33
1974	75,419	2,108	1,108	26
1975	78,807	2,203	1,346	45
1976	85,285	2,315	1,161	31
1977	89,256	2,491	1,316	36
1978	94,646	2,386	1,230	37
1979	97,612	2,242	1,237	36

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	25,923	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	25,193	NA	1,076	218
1967-68	25,079	2,426	1,206	208
1968-69	24,737	3,071	1,247	221
1969-70	24,588	4,326	1,314	217
1970-71	24,605	4,885	1,409	205
1971-72	24,657	4,138	1,427	205
1972-73	24,490	4,938	1,505	167
1973-74	25,023	4,158	1,507	196
1974-75	25,480	5,088	1,560	240
1975-76	25,976	5,725	1,755	272
1976-77	26,411	4,302	1,681	307
1977-78	26,439	5,226	1,610	327
1978-79	26,334	5,947	1,669	375
1979-80	25,468	6,463	1,709	363

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 140,264,446	$ 39,331,000	$ 22,694,584	$ 25,911,238	$ 12,865,062
1966-67	146,611,244	42,031,965	23,839,267	27,565,915	10,883,061
1967-68	154,123,189	44,420,387	24,979,978	30,418,151	11,535,258
1968-69	169,280,378	49,175,176	26,167,961	33,655,391	12,725,990
1969-70	177,282,113	53,451,763	27,920,379	35,358,230	13,712,382
1970-71	193,396,581	58,852,021	32,262,007	37,394,412	14,723,070
1971-72	216,135,846	63,491,998	34,819,190	41,184,739	17,940,044
1972-73	249,033,644	72,091,866	40,183,196	46,554,966	21,944,303
1973-74	278,325,704	85,219,949	46,047,297	48,974,316	23,945,884
1974-75	293,029,598	96,612,412	47,901,056	50,641,015	22,609,974
1975-76	337,892,490	106,559,410	56,381,582	57,069,945	27,192,213
1976-77	381,169,526	116,762,577	62,175,155	63,914,630	34,448,968
1977-78	430,675,865	131,293,325	67,528,646	71,642,539	40,174,927
1978-79	480,700,794	148,509,588	76,967,025	81,658,258	42,832,347

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 3,262,824.57
1966-67	3,439,700.68
1967-68	3,685,445.89
1968-69	3,925,809.41
1969-70	4,221,920.93
1970-71	4,616,565.56
1971-72	5,100,677.07
1972-73	5,881,134.59
1973-74	6,553,125.95
1974-75	6,999,343.51
1975-76	8,001,691.29
1976-77	8,823,197.21
1977-78	9,938,571.27
1978-79	11,130,329.04

Counties in Region: Buncombe, Henderson, Madison, Transylvania

Region B

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,185.2
WATER	6.5
TOTAL	1,191.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	687.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	219.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	57.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	199,826		
1970	223,576	0.1%	20130
1971	226,572	0.5	1586
1972	227,544	0.0	1034
1973	230,858	1.1	811
1974	234,394	1.2	664
1975	237,550	1.1	635
1976	237,892	- 0.1	546
1977	241,203	1.2	564
1978	244,814	1.2	687

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,148
1971	3,382
1972	3,797
1973	4,260
1974	4,608
1975	4,904
1976	5,443
1977	5,971
1978	6,588

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	75,044
REPUBLICAN	35,426
OTHER	5,414
TOTAL	115,884

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	95,170	91,030	4,140	4.4%
1971	96,710	92,240	4,470	4.6
1972	101,210	97,950	3,260	3.2
1973	104,280	101,690	2,590	2.5
1974	105,080	101,160	3,920	3.7
1975	106,510	96,740	9,770	9.2
1976	107,790	102,070	5,720	5.3
1977	111,880	105,840	6,040	5.4
1978	114,410	110,300	4,110	3.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	74,000	28,890	45,110
1971	75,180	28,730	46,450
1972	79,960	30,860	49,100
1973	84,010	32,750	51,260
1974	85,790	32,640	53,150
1975	80,180	27,670	52,510
1976	84,830	29,070	55,760
1977	87,930	30,340	57,590
1978	93,610	31,860	61,750

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	868	119
1966	NA	947	92
1967	NA	1,019	92
1968	NA	1,019	108
1969	NA	1,029	84
1970	NA	1,019	83
1971	NA	1,044	97
1972	117	1,068	83
1973	NA	1,103	68
1974	130	1,169	59
1975	NA	1,261	51
1976	145	1,238	63
1977	NA	1,285	44
1978	170	1,279	43
1979	NA	1,216	36

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 19,101	$ 85,628	4,322	5,442
1965 THRU 1969	18,818	96,905	1,858	5,082
1970 THRU 1974	80,045	98,503	3,486	2,856
1975 THRU 1979	150,812	163,624	3,615	3,749

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	77,767	$ 30,014,099
1966	80,562	34,283,748
1967	83,714	32,927,785
1968	82,301	36,138,764
1969	111,811	37,390,415
1970	103,011	35,923,000
1971	98,805	31,215,000
1972	100,220	36,237,000
1973	92,730	40,568,000
1974	92,828	47,253,000
1975	95,566	49,682,000
1976	92,243	54,696,000
1977	54,795	61,666,000
1978	NA	66,869,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	2,948	2,051	801	NA
1966-67	2,603	1,807	827	NA
1967-68	2,458	1,666	862	236
1968-69	2,481	1,586	877	238
1969-70	2,560	1,568	929	241
1970-71	2,791	1,470	958	234
1971-72	3,068	1,404	1,051	235
1972-73	3,116	1,292	1,086	205
1973-74	3,288	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	3,562	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	4,331	3,827	2,416	189
1976-77	4,697	3,448	2,469	175
1977-78	4,459	3,286	2,515	191
1978-79	4,273	3,222	2,633	181

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	398	51	555	101
1969	350	60	572	81
1970	295	74	615	70
1971	278	91	621	76
1972	354	83	624	65
1973	320	87	671	NA
1974	349	114	810	73
1975	359	120	970	25
1976	351	100	1,011	42
1977	335	77	NA	51
1978	265	124	NA	29
1979	293	107	1,021	20

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	482.61
MUNICIPAL	73.68
TOTAL	556.29
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,437.88
MUNICIPAL	68.79
TOTAL	2,506.67
PAVED	1,858.54
UNPAVED	1,204.42
TOTAL	3,062.96

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	100,860	4,571	2,188	48
1966	108,404	4,864	2,027	61
1967	114,276	5,024	2,208	45
1968	117,433	5,185	2,243	43
1969	120,261	5,526	2,232	54
1970	123,591	5,732	2,241	53
1971	130,391	5,740	2,139	60
1972	139,545	5,546	2,422	42
1973	149,581	5,508	2,860	59
1974	154,810	5,653	2,752	51
1975	160,620	5,905	3,135	60
1976	170,992	6,377	3,233	66
1977	179,393	6,966	3,460	52
1978	189,479	7,248	3,523	42
1979	196,051	7,215	3,713	50

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	47,453	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	47,357	NA	2,003	837
1967-68	47,392	2,670	2,206	850
1968-69	47,269	3,013	2,359	891
1969-70	47,421	2,585	2,416	841
1970-71	47,408	4,558	2,548	844
1971-72	47,584	4,547	2,662	893
1972-73	47,591	4,435	2,788	902
1973-74	48,839	3,595	2,938	817
1974-75	49,372	4,392	3,035	860
1975-76	49,648	5,776	3,547	829
1976-77	50,578	7,900	3,416	1,069
1977-78	50,355	8,945	3,485	1,113
1978-79	49,728	8,110	3,511	1,163
1979-80	52,032	9,721	3,671	1,248

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 405,323,901	$ 92,745,634	$ 79,766,393	$ 62,990,238	$ 34,907,611
1966-67	430,222,670	97,939,559	97,651,533	65,082,597	36,533,037
1967-68	451,774,463	104,434,446	112,156,945	68,268,813	34,119,888
1968-69	484,078,778	120,115,066	112,824,226	74,006,155	38,272,617
1969-70	507,977,251	127,331,176	113,816,064	77,517,687	40,376,621
1970-71	532,379,980	135,182,499	114,327,215	79,063,597	43,808,893
1971-72	596,307,680	144,028,491	120,784,585	85,838,323	56,073,492
1972-73	688,359,068	162,098,650	142,135,135	99,237,368	64,704,790
1973-74	771,028,925	188,212,660	160,565,330	107,805,828	74,387,819
1974-75	791,800,829	213,198,280	156,163,091	117,931,498	70,337,343
1975-76	900,668,221	238,170,975	171,711,959	139,532,387	76,947,985
1976-77	1,000,055,140	252,986,140	189,397,107	165,654,223	82,291,236
1977-78	1,126,973,474	285,657,154	208,017,018	179,025,574	101,936,351
1978-79	1,278,359,413	324,896,289	232,357,239	207,568,852	123,470,440

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 8,947,631.83
1966-67	9,373,870.00
1967-68	9,811,048.04
1968-69	10,791,476.53
1969-70	11,471,580.14
1970-71	12,208,873.67
1971-72	13,639,650.03
1972-73	15,583,834.93
1973-74	17,498,652.26
1974-75	18,097,808.72
1975-76	20,103,923.91
1976-77	22,110,643.88
1977-78	24,805,986.29
1978-79	27,872,869.76

Counties in Region: Cleveland, McDowell, Polk, Rutherford

Region C

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,090.2
WATER	7.9
TOTAL	1,098.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	666.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	268.5
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	54.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	149,276		
1970	162,276	- 0.3%	14875
1971	165,534	0.7	1789
1972	167,401	0.3	1293
1973	170,005	0.9	1140
1974	172,316	0.7	1130
1975	174,647	0.7	1098
1976	174,774	- 0.5	970
1977	175,376	- 0.2	948
1978	176,360	0.1	871

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,882
1971	3,139
1972	3,555
1973	3,997
1974	4,269
1975	4,569
1976	5,122
1977	5,638
1978	6,208

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	57,657
REPUBLICAN	15,978
OTHER	3,085
TOTAL	76,720

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	73,400	70,530	2,870	3.9%
1971	75,050	72,250	2,800	3.7
1972	79,120	76,560	2,560	3.2
1973	82,500	80,430	2,070	2.5
1974	83,730	80,110	3,620	4.3
1975	85,010	76,230	8,780	10.3
1976	87,080	81,770	5,310	6.1
1977	88,170	83,080	5,090	5.8
1978	89,370	85,220	4,150	4.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	55,370	32,500	22,870
1971	57,160	33,320	23,840
1972	59,940	35,980	23,960
1973	63,600	38,290	25,310
1974	64,760	38,510	26,250
1975	61,040	34,650	26,390
1976	65,750	37,480	28,270
1977	67,190	37,950	29,240
1978	69,540	38,360	31,180

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	544	85
1966	NA	490	98
1967	NA	490	91
1968	NA	573	84
1969	NA	573	86
1970	NA	578	86
1971	NA	684	79
1972	53	725	76
1973	NA	723	80
1974	67	723	67
1975	NA	723	60
1976	67	725	55
1977	NA	737	49
1978	84	758	50
1979	NA	738	37

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 13,110	$ 59,290	2,197	2,614
1965 THRU 1969	35,737	83,211	2,194	2,536
1970 THRU 1974	76,884	121,137	2,470	3,971
1975 THRU 1979	114,064	168,206	1,781	4,018

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	208,774	$ 23,162,744
1966	201,425	23,167,087
1967	201,365	24,193,317
1968	195,483	24,524,168
1969	176,497	27,142,956
1970	171,238	24,576,000
1971	164,759	23,029,000
1972	155,954	23,849,000
1973	142,158	32,792,000
1974	130,357	31,457,000
1975	123,172	31,513,000
1976	134,130	33,175,000
1977	127,132	34,369,000
1978	NA	39,698,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	3,508	2,101	874	NA
1966-67	3,121	1,952	874	NA
1967-68	2,873	1,827	884	117
1968-69	2,836	1,786	927	117
1969-70	3,243	1,773	956	107
1970-71	4,009	1,723	987	103
1971-72	4,511	1,687	1,069	99
1972-73	4,163	1,477	1,071	87
1973-74	3,901	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	4,526	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	5,455	3,221	2,166	84
1976-77	5,440	2,973	2,239	83
1977-78	5,406	2,865	2,317	91
1978-79	5,111	2,702	2,408	91

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	227	32	556	60
1969	256	34	595	55
1970	288	51	646	62
1971	340	59	622	38
1972	296	65	589	38
1973	257	64	574	NA
1974	216	73	667	54
1975	283	110	713	47
1976	303	110	662	15
1977	251	96	NA	38
1978	203	119	NA	31
1979	266	106	688	22

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	432.63
MUNICIPAL	74.28
TOTAL	506.91
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,617.38
MUNICIPAL	135.67
TOTAL	2,753.05
PAVED	2,299.15
UNPAVED	960.81
TOTAL	3,259.96

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	68,166	2,701	1,559	58
1966	73,522	3,030	1,661	46
1967	76,511	3,094	1,693	46
1968	80,493	3,438	1,455	56
1969	83,725	3,809	1,687	50
1970	86,249	3,733	1,680	49
1971	91,781	4,053	1,936	60
1972	99,447	4,135	2,128	57
1973	106,748	3,954	2,199	67
1974	109,749	3,737	2,067	54
1975	112,919	3,973	2,174	45
1976	121,229	4,300	2,225	68
1977	125,883	4,522	2,226	60
1978	132,752	4,682	2,459	51
1979	136,364	4,595	2,566	44

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	39,006	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	38,624	NA	1,141	721
1967-68	38,376	2,349	1,251	733
1968-69	38,341	3,324	1,283	720
1969-70	38,428	4,098	1,303	704
1970-71	38,440	4,952	1,363	709
1971-72	38,576	4,981	1,341	724
1972-73	38,076	5,390	1,405	683
1973-74	39,057	5,014	1,434	704
1974-75	39,633	6,274	1,520	757
1975-76	40,009	8,292	1,758	683
1976-77	40,766	7,409	1,631	766
1977-78	40,515	7,806	1,656	799
1978-79	40,249	8,546	1,636	840
1979-80	36,184	8,292	1,591	874

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 207,126,683	$ 56,455,203	$ 35,604,777	$ 39,223,006	$ 20,194,999
1966-67	220,622,031	65,162,195	38,466,149	41,801,437	17,906,785
1967-68	233,971,137	67,187,086	42,292,578	44,307,437	18,410,555
1968-69	255,497,168	68,961,854	47,492,097	47,803,452	21,281,664
1969-70	271,262,871	74,648,370	50,718,357	51,465,345	21,667,188
1970-71	294,871,207	80,685,582	55,793,185	53,679,277	25,301,619
1971-72	342,488,136	89,196,075	63,051,297	62,246,136	31,198,946
1972-73	395,084,619	99,750,451	71,894,811	69,320,895	36,241,674
1973-74	440,431,574	115,563,554	78,769,902	82,999,045	38,219,810
1974-75	440,977,771	129,826,388	77,652,049	89,048,734	34,297,587
1975-76	505,391,807	143,853,536	90,925,851	99,410,356	39,740,424
1976-77	541,902,048	152,873,599	95,765,865	104,598,128	44,032,465
1977-78	604,922,785	171,104,642	108,163,679	112,290,052	51,505,271
1978-79	677,715,850	191,995,784	114,394,852	121,800,119	60,578,504

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 4,681,496.97
1966-67	4,914,656.14
1967-68	5,182,728.95
1968-69	5,752,019.42
1969-70	6,324,501.08
1970-71	6,881,279.42
1971-72	7,864,887.56
1972-73	8,785,622.32
1973-74	9,597,963.74
1974-75	9,578,421.25
1975-76	10,940,680.50
1976-77	11,741,968.81
1977-78	13,170,941.59
1978-79	14,802,400.06

Counties in Region: Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Mitchell, Watauga, Wilkes, Yancey

Region D

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,604.6
WATER	10.8
TOTAL	1,615.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	996.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	413.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	58.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	130,223		
1970	139,364	- 0.3%	13098
1971	143,470	1.6	1256
1972	145,703	0.9	1005
1973	148,592	1.4	908
1974	151,612	1.5	792
1975	152,740	0.3	719
1976	153,626	0.1	663
1977	154,978	0.4	722
1978	155,957	0.1	790

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,436
1971	2,654
1972	2,989
1973	3,456
1974	3,670
1975	3,999
1976	4,420
1977	4,907
1978	5,466

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	41,705
REPUBLICAN	43,750
OTHER	3,153
TOTAL	88,608

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	58,180	54,980	3,200	5.5%
1971	59,310	56,250	3,060	5.2
1972	63,590	61,010	2,580	4.1
1973	67,940	65,730	2,210	3.3
1974	66,520	63,120	3,400	5.1
1975	69,710	62,660	7,050	10.1
1976	71,440	67,020	4,420	6.2
1977	73,850	69,770	4,080	5.5
1978	75,210	72,120	3,090	4.1

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	36,390	16,560	19,830
1971	37,590	16,700	20,890
1972	40,410	18,260	22,150
1973	44,360	19,880	24,480
1974	44,740	19,100	25,640
1975	43,120	16,550	26,570
1976	46,400	18,090	28,310
1977	49,040	18,880	30,160
1978	51,510	19,320	32,190

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	473	70
1966	NA	475	72
1967	NA	531	68
1968	NA	605	52
1969	NA	569	53
1970	NA	630	67
1971	NA	631	51
1972	37	663	53
1973	NA	644	45
1974	44	644	42
1975	NA	647	29
1976	66	647	25
1977	NA	702	22
1978	64	728	27
1979	NA	706	26

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 3,562	$ 6,001	1,577	1,897
1965 THRU 1969	24,118	13,151	2,193	1,718
1970 THRU 1974	29,542	25,391	2,710	954
1975 THRU 1979	25,522	41,259	1,493	1,039

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	158,293	$ 62,738,690
1966	154,906	66,997,188
1967	150,032	64,668,928
1968	140,530	73,058,358
1969	130,186	84,401,918
1970	128,705	73,089,000
1971	123,550	71,376,000
1972	133,159	75,113,000
1973	126,323	108,831,000
1974	100,811	118,177,000
1975	93,874	129,049,000
1976	107,962	131,246,000
1977	114,299	142,579,000
1978	NA	159,924,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	4,595	2,369	1,077	NA
1966-67	4,156	2,218	1,070	NA
1967-68	3,855	2,105	1,069	139
1968-69	3,372	1,955	1,043	130
1969-70	3,184	1,873	1,048	133
1970-71	3,313	1,731	1,075	128
1971-72	3,242	1,634	1,118	144
1972-73	2,767	1,483	1,102	145
1973-74	2,387	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,498	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	2,541	3,553	2,314	127
1976-77	2,410	3,365	2,382	134
1977-78	2,217	3,292	2,470	133
1978-79	1,967	3,171	2,579	132

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	124	49	546	25
1969	127	55	536	24
1970	145	50	520	25
1971	247	56	626	15
1972	235	73	688	19
1973	191	63	690	NA
1974	236	71	852	20
1975	309	83	983	21
1976	234	77	950	16
1977	205	62	NA	32
1978	220	73	NA	18
1979	195	71	925	20

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	625.72
MUNICIPAL	51.42
TOTAL	677.14
SECONDARY	
RURAL	3,380.96
MUNICIPAL	54.92
TOTAL	3,435.88
PAVED	2,169.22
UNPAVED	1,943.80
TOTAL	4,113.02

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	55,766	2,238	1,235	42
1966	59,604	2,480	1,086	31
1967	62,467	2,250	1,137	44
1968	66,650	2,464	1,248	52
1969	69,064	2,722	1,180	46
1970	71,650	2,839	1,146	52
1971	76,629	3,072	1,304	42
1972	83,308	2,867	1,233	53
1973	90,190	3,136	1,626	40
1974	94,300	3,038	1,528	39
1975	97,396	3,329	1,801	37
1976	107,319	3,723	1,867	39
1977	111,494	3,839	1,884	32
1978	119,122	3,963	2,041	34
1979	122,108	4,026	2,117	41

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	32,059	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	31,616	NA	920	374
1967-68	31,390	2,067	1,092	369
1968-69	31,360	2,848	1,155	390
1969-70	31,234	2,751	1,224	343
1970-71	31,550	3,682	1,336	312
1971-72	31,530	4,367	1,444	282
1972-73	31,284	5,103	1,591	251
1973-74	32,626	4,785	1,535	313
1974-75	33,030	6,376	1,557	246
1975-76	33,238	7,512	1,643	329
1976-77	33,642	6,778	1,520	412
1977-78	33,428	6,539	1,520	393
1978-79	33,027	8,788	1,624	467
1979-80	32,602	8,871	1,712	461

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 163,636,590	$ 39,272,405	$ 29,371,211	$ 35,642,383	$ 12,273,110
1966-67	169,272,588	43,203,881	30,400,102	36,073,020	12,524,434
1967-68	178,931,798	48,146,271	30,804,399	37,059,046	13,790,648
1968-69	201,606,699	53,928,896	34,104,042	40,507,327	17,019,778
1969-70	222,436,824	59,561,430	37,688,162	43,575,831	19,741,862
1970-71	247,413,420	66,697,032	39,969,659	45,466,895	23,754,573
1971-72	288,223,057	73,214,556	47,650,068	51,014,701	30,099,652
1972-73	319,150,935	82,330,573	52,581,594	57,977,016	34,254,372
1973-74	350,860,552	97,043,956	59,370,117	63,079,415	37,178,179
1974-75	364,519,687	111,794,457	57,540,920	68,556,212	34,653,733
1975-76	413,970,320	125,630,112	67,024,567	76,878,058	35,587,400
1976-77	451,705,145	134,452,905	71,592,799	85,598,845	37,600,394
1977-78	526,498,147	153,953,511	85,394,115	99,508,132	48,806,617
1978-79	582,071,494	181,956,050	90,407,269	109,515,317	59,588,906

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 3,361,940.00
1966-67	3,568,740.15
1967-68	3,758,204.00
1968-69	4,292,147.11
1969-70	4,870,720.82
1970-71	5,411,504.39
1971-72	6,327,286.48
1972-73	7,144,959.68
1973-74	7,837,211.66
1974-75	8,039,479.44
1975-76	9,188,333.33
1976-77	10,096,140.78
1977-78	11,761,005.59
1978-79	13,010,800.01

Counties in Region: Alexander, Burke, Caldwell, Catawba

Region E

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,042.2
WATER	26.2
TOTAL	1,068.4
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	592.4
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	237.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	63.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	191,069		
1970	227,402	0.4%	27414
1971	231,948	0.5	3235
1972	235,113	0.3	2385
1973	241,613	1.9	2097
1974	244,979	0.6	1999
1975	245,846	- 0.4	1872
1976	244,999	- 1.0	1651
1977	246,307	- 0.2	1685
1978	248,809	0.3	1721

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,354
1971	3,645
1972	4,051
1973	4,451
1974	4,681
1975	4,911
1976	5,556
1977	6,198
1978	6,818

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	68,894
REPUBLICAN	42,935
OTHER	8,337
TOTAL	120,166

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	111,850	106,870	4,980	4.5%
1971	114,820	109,440	5,380	4.7
1972	120,450	116,720	3,730	3.1
1973	123,880	120,660	3,220	2.6
1974	123,600	117,880	5,720	4.6
1975	124,260	110,450	13,810	11.1
1976	126,190	117,720	8,470	6.7
1977	128,120	120,690	7,430	5.8
1978	134,810	127,720	7,090	5.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	104,260	65,800	38,460
1971	106,880	67,430	39,450
1972	112,990	72,090	40,900
1973	117,970	73,990	43,980
1974	117,580	72,590	44,990
1975	108,740	63,830	44,910
1976	116,450	69,000	47,450
1977	120,240	71,200	49,040
1978	127,810	73,940	53,870

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	701	140
1966	NA	776	114
1967	NA	776	110
1968	NA	923	118
1969	NA	915	112
1970	NA	915	115
1971	NA	854	103
1972	80	850	97
1973	NA	876	80
1974	87	935	78
1975	NA	1,019	65
1976	116	1,018	62
1977	NA	1,045	38
1978	135	1,045	46
1979	NA	1,052	53

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 19,115	$ 36,686	3,916	6,863
1965 THRU 1969	34,139	67,486	6,119	5,978
1970 THRU 1974	31,387	60,190	2,380	3,771
1975 THRU 1979	177,055	112,550	4,587	4,155

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	128,992	$ 25,614,617
1966	159,096	28,489,858
1967	150,061	28,296,961
1968	145,341	29,541,765
1969	143,110	34,199,310
1970	136,006	28,949,000
1971	125,846	27,820,000
1972	60,997	29,300,000
1973	62,585	44,073,000
1974	106,601	43,397,000
1975	104,840	45,956,000
1976	85,421	49,642,000
1977	88,317	52,341,000
1978	NA	62,456,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	2,918	1,388	728	NA
1966-67	2,436	1,273	719	NA
1967-68	2,208	1,167	716	121
1968-69	1,967	1,100	681	114
1969-70	2,099	1,062	677	119
1970-71	2,716	1,001	715	118
1971-72	2,835	963	746	110
1972-73	2,545	893	722	98
1973-74	2,502	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	3,298	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	4,272	2,289	2,031	105
1976-77	4,050	2,072	2,082	97
1977-78	3,557	1,984	2,147	99
1978-79	3,318	1,904	2,235	78

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	482	105	703	73
1969	423	114	729	105
1970	505	132	782	89
1971	482	128	791	77
1972	376	146	931	55
1973	381	114	977	NA
1974	351	150	1,030	60
1975	317	180	1,063	37
1976	395	173	1,000	33
1977	413	164	NA	53
1978	303	173	NA	42
1979	326	167	1,059	51

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	381.82
MUNICIPAL	73.63
TOTAL	455.45
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,447.72
MUNICIPAL	115.40
TOTAL	2,563.12
PAVED	2,145.43
UNPAVED	873.14
TOTAL	3,018.57

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	101,984	4,605	2,265	82
1966	110,547	5,076	2,434	96
1967	116,450	5,082	2,426	110
1968	123,697	5,297	2,266	55
1969	129,413	5,675	2,324	73
1970	133,072	5,803	2,375	84
1971	141,853	6,447	2,645	63
1972	152,654	6,356	2,903	78
1973	164,512	6,503	3,271	95
1974	169,103	5,924	2,818	73
1975	173,204	6,350	3,235	56
1976	184,422	7,158	3,586	72
1977	192,561	7,524	3,743	57
1978	202,521	7,882	3,831	81
1979	209,564	7,576	3,986	63

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	50,300	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	50,673	NA	1,483	1,297
1967-68	51,449	3,929	1,623	1,172
1968-69	51,969	6,708	1,739	1,048
1969-70	52,468	8,544	1,867	922
1970-71	53,014	9,533	1,937	1,005
1971-72	53,551	9,905	2,098	977
1972-73	53,929	11,723	2,073	877
1973-74	55,056	11,919	2,083	822
1974-75	55,674	12,387	2,123	804
1975-76	56,434	13,007	2,244	745
1976-77	57,289	11,776	2,150	809
1977-78	56,952	10,176	2,231	877
1978-79	56,223	11,094	2,263	974
1979-80	55,694	14,990	2,342	1,064

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 348,137,052	$ 86,690,063	$ 45,046,475	$ 67,924,658	$ 36,077,480
1966-67	370,301,216	94,924,441	52,508,165	71,997,355	35,399,492
1967-68	399,722,987	103,775,925	58,067,686	77,818,137	37,479,279
1968-69	454,661,833	111,952,118	68,296,008	88,115,496	43,753,714
1969-70	481,949,079	126,649,062	73,769,677	90,939,971	45,171,673
1970-71	512,694,553	136,632,224	80,500,505	96,016,742	52,668,981
1971-72	596,810,938	153,153,482	92,503,894	107,943,734	67,070,321
1972-73	682,795,352	174,631,887	106,113,050	119,382,000	76,035,973
1973-74	743,115,604	202,900,147	113,227,051	132,698,448	82,214,601
1974-75	733,381,182	218,043,998	114,213,604	140,324,286	68,201,758
1975-76	848,620,121	239,803,407	132,140,189	162,117,245	73,213,293
1976-77	931,443,431	253,284,921	144,263,973	175,791,035	81,985,342
1977-78	1,070,475,225	294,724,519	164,368,033	194,550,622	99,267,390
1978-79	1,209,281,287	335,842,775	192,070,844	224,839,179	113,886,049

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 7,623,693.23
1966-67	8,223,506.52
1967-68	8,829,674.54
1968-69	9,964,429.33
1969-70	10,891,284.22
1970-71	11,665,314.51
1971-72	13,529,271.87
1972-73	15,354,625.99
1973-74	16,478,863.62
1974-75	16,031,971.99
1975-76	18,223,147.57
1976-77	20,102,655.53
1977-78	22,759,254.54
1978-79	25,545,467.06

Counties in Region: Cabarrus, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Rowan, Stanly, Union

Region F

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	2,333.6
WATER	55.9
TOTAL	2,389.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	1,078.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	914.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	250.2

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	727,022		
1970	870,150	0.6%	98859
1971	881,009	- 0.1	12218
1972	898,216	1.0	8421
1973	910,415	0.6	6978
1974	919,280	0.3	6357
1975	922,018	- 0.3	5749
1976	920,100	- 0.8	5225
1977	928,211	0.3	5408
1978	939,854	0.7	5538

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,623
1971	3,895
1972	4,290
1973	4,719
1974	5,059
1975	5,408
1976	6,038
1977	6,604
1978	7,387

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	286,888
REPUBLICAN	113,984
OTHER	20,376
TOTAL	421,248

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	414,420	401,620	12,800	3.1%
1971	419,430	404,590	14,840	3.5
1972	434,010	422,330	11,680	2.7
1973	443,270	432,070	11,200	2.5
1974	454,020	438,050	15,970	3.5
1975	460,950	421,460	39,490	8.6
1976	462,290	436,040	26,250	5.7
1977	477,580	454,580	23,000	4.8
1978	490,320	472,600	17,720	3.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	366,410	155,730	210,680
1971	369,880	153,810	216,070
1972	385,280	158,830	226,450
1973	398,400	161,190	237,210
1974	403,810	156,070	247,740
1975	388,510	139,870	248,640
1976	404,850	146,750	258,100
1977	421,380	153,580	267,800
1978	443,530	157,240	286,290

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	3,237	424
1966	NA	3,269	401
1967	NA	3,240	398
1968	NA	3,314	403
1969	NA	3,484	372
1970	NA	3,651	382
1971	NA	3,649	336
1972	357	3,625	312
1973	NA	3,875	299
1974	374	4,380	265
1975	NA	4,661	205
1976	411	4,780	215
1977	NA	4,806	199
1978	454	4,831	226
1979	NA	4,672	214

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$191,863	$150,075	18,541	11,469
1965 THRU 1969	197,211	275,537	10,894	13,976
1970 THRU 1974	70,177	293,896	4,698	6,152
1975 THRU 1979	131,456	485,405	14,811	7,913

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	583,894	$ 87,630,815
1966	634,268	92,410,787
1967	630,147	91,920,905
1968	577,364	98,939,420
1969	544,310	116,707,152
1970	572,795	98,740,000
1971	547,222	94,654,000
1972	540,783	103,360,000
1973	547,487	153,050,000
1974	428,288	163,071,000
1975	515,441	168,371,000
1976	505,736	191,412,000
1977	533,259	188,386,000
1978	NA	245,028,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	11,066	5,098	2,663	NA
1966-67	10,409	4,799	2,647	NA
1967-68	10,731	4,668	2,673	575
1968-69	11,450	4,547	2,769	578
1969-70	14,783	4,585	3,062	579
1970-71	19,910	4,394	3,519	559
1971-72	23,750	4,310	3,967	555
1972-73	22,749	3,864	4,090	486
1973-74	22,819	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	28,765	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	32,728	8,378	7,784	426
1976-77	33,163	7,632	7,791	406
1977-78	32,005	7,291	7,864	394
1978-79	30,514	6,853	7,980	373

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	2,095	294	3,068	461
1969	1,771	307	3,680	398
1970	1,904	398	3,817	515
1971	1,878	408	3,866	336
1972	1,704	477	4,001	249
1973	1,385	425	4,261	NA
1974	1,534	520	4,845	199
1975	2,032	706	5,529	145
1976	2,016	627	5,761	122
1977	1,928	615	NA	152
1978	1,513	824	NA	120
1979	1,622	719	5,622	131

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	1,034.92
MUNICIPAL	262.31
TOTAL	1,297.23
SECONDARY	
RURAL	6,766.01
MUNICIPAL	340.13
TOTAL	7,106.14
PAVED	6,799.22
UNPAVED	1,604.15
TOTAL	8,403.37

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	386,145	16,207	9,398	218
1966	417,260	18,644	9,987	233
1967	438,627	18,990	10,166	206
1968	460,516	21,218	10,597	255
1969	481,459	23,119	11,260	255
1970	503,011	24,345	11,314	240
1971	533,343	25,456	11,471	239
1972	571,889	24,370	11,602	253
1973	612,656	23,723	13,008	226
1974	628,148	22,056	12,059	203
1975	645,846	22,725	13,178	215
1976	672,897	25,023	14,371	181
1977	706,945	26,815	15,571	182
1978	745,083	29,732	17,264	218
1979	770,472	29,715	17,222	224

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	194,319	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	196,693	NA	6,786	4,337
1967-68	200,621	11,017	7,319	4,344
1968-69	202,623	14,268	7,768	4,334
1969-70	205,170	18,661	8,422	3,861
1970-71	203,119	22,582	9,341	3,708
1971-72	201,756	22,148	9,943	3,892
1972-73	200,479	26,911	10,148	3,891
1973-74	201,782	28,114	10,628	3,635
1974-75	202,375	33,239	11,292	3,862
1975-76	203,962	43,053	12,086	4,227
1976-77	209,984	36,643	12,270	4,720
1977-78	208,223	42,169	12,712	4,636
1978-79	206,095	40,954	12,784	4,633
1979-80	203,404	41,538	13,066	4,988

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 1,804,758,612	$ 363,197,689	$ 334,625,938	$ 286,833,296	$ 197,550,571
1966-67	1,947,000,842	397,463,256	384,235,990	296,258,762	220,762,484
1967-68	2,042,405,852	425,849,045	398,302,207	309,383,233	215,278,737
1968-69	2,309,314,163	464,624,773	444,726,226	375,233,891	246,908,905
1969-70	2,458,882,054	505,969,080	485,545,165	412,723,818	257,698,084
1970-71	2,683,110,348	533,264,602	542,792,073	476,207,097	268,922,139
1971-72	3,157,705,394	585,031,789	625,515,708	568,237,277	337,868,990
1972-73	3,531,780,569	645,633,370	682,706,144	601,029,354	409,670,879
1973-74	3,919,871,379	750,074,983	735,164,060	709,167,958	459,317,254
1974-75	4,044,512,287	827,925,724	735,651,893	744,962,924	434,354,664
1975-76	4,538,325,866	933,068,322	870,536,074	851,554,766	425,139,396
1976-77	4,997,503,347	983,796,550	933,617,350	966,564,773	468,158,739
1977-78	5,819,924,929	1,100,377,630	1,083,514,650	1,117,188,101	555,327,823
1978-79	6,751,094,072	1,259,312,721	1,261,123,636	1,304,804,766	678,739,633

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 39,087,867.06
1966-67	42,411,178.09
1967-68	44,934,944.41
1968-69	49,869,811.51
1969-70	54,446,138.12
1970-71	57,929,832.18
1971-72	67,027,761.99
1972-73	75,143,885.63
1973-74	81,704,951.80
1974-75	82,243,319.55
1975-76	90,884,174.82
1976-77	99,669,434.76
1977-78	114,268,359.56
1978-79	129,382,894.20

Region G

Counties in Region: Alamance, Caswell, Davidson, Guilford, Randolph, Rockingham

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	2,184.0
WATER	28.3
TOTAL	2,212.3
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	1,208.8
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	668.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	204.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	562,725		
1970	648,589	0.2%	74039
1971	658,747	0.2	8240
1972	667,151	0.4	5457
1973	672,963	0.2	4206
1974	675,605	- 0.2	3719
1975	676,887	- 0.3	3439
1976	678,780	- 0.2	3270
1977	683,675	0.2	3413
1978	689,288	0.3	3403

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,711
1971	3,982
1972	4,366
1973	4,810
1974	5,222
1975	5,521
1976	6,074
1977	6,597
1978	7,458

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	213,170
REPUBLICAN	87,420
OTHER	17,008
TOTAL	317,598

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	301,820	290,890	10,930	3.6%
1971	308,330	294,290	14,040	4.6
1972	317,340	306,700	10,640	3.4
1973	323,610	313,380	10,230	3.2
1974	335,510	321,200	14,310	4.3
1975	334,970	307,180	27,790	8.3
1976	338,690	317,000	21,690	6.4
1977	344,580	324,740	19,840	5.8
1978	349,910	335,970	13,940	4.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	272,740	138,790	133,950
1971	277,890	138,600	139,290
1972	289,640	143,310	146,330
1973	297,370	146,450	150,920
1974	301,220	144,470	156,750
1975	285,300	128,290	157,010
1976	293,440	132,930	160,510
1977	301,210	134,450	166,760
1978	314,840	136,920	177,920

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	1,867	324
1966	NA	1,795	300
1967	NA	1,859	261
1968	NA	1,936	293
1969	NA	1,984	285
1970	NA	1,982	284
1971	NA	2,077	269
1972	252	2,189	198
1973	NA	2,181	225
1974	254	2,246	179
1975	NA	2,191	157
1976	279	2,182	150
1977	NA	2,309	137
1978	345	2,493	139
1979	NA	2,324	117

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 94,638	$172,974	15,261	13,778
1965 THRU 1969	213,382	329,880	12,472	12,679
1970 THRU 1974	188,205	392,537	5,020	6,752
1975 THRU 1979	595,267	507,551	6,361	5,767

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	516,314	$ 88,601,591
1966	515,922	93,011,650
1967	515,683	98,089,604
1968	412,342	96,653,325
1969	396,283	112,474,813
1970	475,747	96,696,000
1971	460,069	99,390,000
1972	451,564	102,645,000
1973	434,365	144,322,000
1974	419,878	148,785,000
1975	410,412	147,346,000
1976	416,826	171,278,000
1977	410,355	163,668,000
1978	NA	185,996,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	10,413	3,600	2,212	NA
1966-67	10,272	3,554	2,313	NA
1967-68	10,186	3,491	2,358	501
1968-69	10,014	3,387	2,436	504
1969-70	11,302	3,267	2,630	517
1970-71	14,910	3,045	2,998	542
1971-72	17,355	3,011	3,335	599
1972-73	15,732	2,699	3,254	593
1973-74	14,311	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	16,931	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	20,254	6,486	6,287	511
1976-77	20,491	5,986	6,397	465
1977-78	19,944	5,748	6,615	463
1978-79	18,467	5,387	6,598	423

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	1,105	224	2,432	320
1969	1,203	249	2,892	300
1970	1,234	286	2,811	313
1971	1,218	339	3,018	269
1972	1,186	405	2,900	173
1973	1,285	348	2,978	NA
1974	1,238	460	3,695	144
1975	1,125	528	4,180	135
1976	1,011	492	4,198	86
1977	1,285	446	NA	137
1978	1,047	534	NA	125
1979	1,288	555	4,424	100

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	996.16
MUNICIPAL	197.62
TOTAL	1,193.78
SECONDARY	
RURAL	5,811.31
MUNICIPAL	317.32
TOTAL	6,128.63
PAVED	5,405.56
UNPAVED	1,916.85
TOTAL	7,322.41

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	295,642	11,495	6,508	174
1966	316,623	13,030	6,828	178
1967	331,401	13,811	7,088	200
1968	352,486	14,999	7,414	207
1969	368,476	16,752	8,061	209
1970	382,401	17,345	7,733	223
1971	404,379	18,300	8,078	183
1972	431,467	17,563	9,128	242
1973	458,338	16,839	9,789	192
1974	466,941	16,256	9,471	144
1975	478,840	16,820	9,980	162
1976	501,273	18,263	10,881	179
1977	525,475	19,718	11,281	153
1978	551,637	21,406	12,156	175
1979	569,328	21,260	12,568	187

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	148,205	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	150,147	NA	5,329	4,267
1967-68	152,051	6,775	5,827	4,014
1968-69	153,828	10,328	6,206	3,845
1969-70	154,389	13,153	6,786	3,910
1970-71	154,304	16,812	7,522	3,859
1971-72	153,070	18,740	8,390	3,824
1972-73	151,223	20,569	8,946	3,714
1973-74	152,448	16,405	9,180	3,460
1974-75	152,653	21,161	9,900	3,635
1975-76	153,672	20,977	10,695	3,774
1976-77	156,084	24,722	10,953	3,798
1977-78	154,129	25,900	11,191	3,816
1978-79	150,945	29,463	11,251	3,964
1979-80	147,764	23,410	11,188	4,113

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 1,188,520,477	$ 258,762,121	$ 191,186,257	$ 190,328,058	$ 136,876,986
1966-67	1,254,582,152	280,942,745	210,504,931	200,861,137	134,390,715
1967-68	1,356,594,683	298,123,844	227,022,654	217,560,979	134,309,042
1968-69	1,527,447,428	329,930,773	260,483,518	235,566,169	160,652,214
1969-70	1,625,640,259	357,351,974	290,810,554	243,861,491	172,468,830
1970-71	1,740,618,582	380,049,279	316,153,431	256,367,675	174,596,957
1971-72	1,994,069,687	410,471,718	359,865,370	286,220,605	206,562,254
1972-73	2,222,025,627	461,527,687	370,698,212	317,976,333	239,340,174
1973-74	2,443,617,763	531,199,427	406,678,913	343,523,360	284,111,136
1974-75	2,453,102,618	589,326,010	411,279,871	351,943,425	250,773,837
1975-76	2,777,036,144	662,781,359	456,793,422	397,343,065	270,482,160
1976-77	3,035,305,750	696,832,611	494,457,356	431,597,277	290,175,362
1977-78	3,506,320,992	756,735,699	564,439,794	521,255,940	361,351,282
1978-79	3,943,264,110	850,800,861	639,719,296	580,421,681	436,327,555

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 25,311,068.80
1966-67	27,074,798.13
1967-68	28,970,175.92
1968-69	32,706,392.50
1969-70	35,786,213.57
1970-71	38,158,669.23
1971-72	43,278,345.07
1972-73	48,113,263.88
1973-74	52,402,056.26
1974-75	52,496,023.15
1975-76	58,225,664.20
1976-77	63,622,823.19
1977-78	72,328,751.29
1978-79	81,287,332.31

Counties in Region: Anson, Montgomery, Moore, Richmond

Region H

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,404.0
WATER	18.0
TOTAL	1,422.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	1,033.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	237.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	50.9

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	119,305		
1970	121,692	- 0.9%	12815
1971	123,152	0.1	1330
1972	123,940	0.0	796
1973	125,293	0.5	672
1974	125,882	- 0.1	660
1975	127,307	0.6	702
1976	127,713	- 0.2	688
1977	128,892	0.4	702
1978	130,548	0.8	664

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,801
1971	3,046
1972	3,412
1973	3,851
1974	4,087
1975	4,409
1976	4,965
1977	5,562
1978	6,276

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	45,279
REPUBLICAN	11,441
OTHER	1,579
TOTAL	58,299

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	52,020	49,220	2,800	5.4%
1971	53,380	50,460	2,920	5.5
1972	54,920	52,200	2,720	5.0
1973	56,120	53,390	2,730	4.9
1974	56,900	53,810	3,090	5.4
1975	58,180	51,340	6,840	11.8
1976	60,500	56,610	3,890	6.4
1977	62,230	58,630	3,600	5.8
1978	65,250	62,310	2,940	4.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	37,560	17,660	19,900
1971	38,880	18,220	20,660
1972	39,790	19,110	20,680
1973	41,140	19,690	21,450
1974	42,250	19,820	22,430
1975	39,980	17,450	22,530
1976	44,500	20,200	24,300
1977	46,630	21,550	25,080
1978	50,080	22,450	27,630

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	578	98
1966	NA	619	89
1967	NA	624	79
1968	NA	587	70
1969	NA	592	79
1970	NA	633	73
1971	NA	622	62
1972	33	654	60
1973	NA	634	48
1974	34	634	52
1975	NA	634	39
1976	46	641	44
1977	NA	641	32
1978	41	777	37
1979	NA	772	36

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 8,035	$ 13,613	1,813	1,838
1965 THRU 1969	7,479	27,449	1,985	2,879
1970 THRU 1974	68,686	22,764	3,944	1,054
1975 THRU 1979	101,559	64,238	2,265	1,454

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	192,978	$ 60,883,919
1966	186,766	68,415,480
1967	186,820	64,955,315
1968	181,595	68,830,001
1969	176,256	77,180,183
1970	172,360	62,228,000
1971	167,032	59,986,000
1972	163,794	63,924,000
1973	155,229	100,725,000
1974	157,843	92,967,000
1975	148,065	95,383,000
1976	157,418	97,437,000
1977	159,611	100,678,000
1978	NA	125,726,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	3,858	1,485	813	NA
1966-67	3,666	1,391	818	NA
1967-68	3,468	1,330	824	200
1968-69	3,350	1,260	818	201
1969-70	3,319	1,245	832	194
1970-71	3,463	1,137	821	193
1971-72	3,633	1,048	870	201
1972-73	3,173	953	884	187
1973-74	2,849	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	2,993	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	3,316	2,784	1,961	160
1976-77	3,582	2,596	1,961	140
1977-78	3,607	2,491	2,023	136
1978-79	3,679	2,353	2,073	131

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	315	47	593	56
1969	225	59	598	69
1970	297	65	870	56
1971	278	63	742	48
1972	302	84	687	50
1973	257	70	830	NA
1974	249	81	902	45
1975	264	96	1,027	29
1976	279	89	1,127	19
1977	269	86	NA	29
1978	303	123	NA	32
1979	310	102	1,217	23

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	483.18
MUNICIPAL	67.14
TOTAL	550.32
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,648.27
MUNICIPAL	114.74
TOTAL	2,763.01
PAVED	2,714.62
UNPAVED	598.71
TOTAL	3,313.33

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	51,526	1,706	991	59
1966	55,064	1,970	1,040	52
1967	56,859	2,154	1,279	62
1968	60,366	2,393	1,305	80
1969	62,094	2,709	1,339	59
1970	63,556	2,608	1,344	58
1971	66,754	2,731	1,368	84
1972	71,572	2,643	1,521	57
1973	76,547	2,592	1,543	71
1974	78,955	2,453	1,532	44
1975	81,549	2,533	1,667	38
1976	87,870	2,776	1,792	40
1977	91,737	2,953	1,818	51
1978	96,306	3,030	1,868	43
1979	101,332	3,009	1,947	45

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	33,108	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	32,856	NA	973	472
1967-68	32,669	2,127	1,037	463
1968-69	32,231	2,906	1,096	447
1969-70	31,417	3,736	1,077	428
1970-71	31,061	4,649	1,138	416
1971-72	30,956	4,571	1,183	439
1972-73	29,987	5,367	1,313	489
1973-74	29,960	4,703	1,330	364
1974-75	29,793	6,996	1,386	410
1975-76	30,170	7,629	1,517	415
1976-77	30,383	6,272	1,522	463
1977-78	30,246	7,376	1,497	467
1978-79	29,990	6,956	1,418	467
1979-80	29,685	7,390	1,386	490

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 157,504,782	$ 46,211,851	$ 23,519,294	$ 29,001,556	$ 13,763,027
1966-67	156,026,386	50,906,521	15,930,002	29,927,457	13,250,494
1967-68	173,783,536	51,643,280	27,355,827	31,587,247	14,111,544
1968-69	189,949,754	54,882,032	29,582,371	34,219,469	14,767,420
1969-70	206,609,525	61,707,404	32,965,225	37,056,185	15,274,559
1970-71	215,232,344	66,640,443	35,210,158	37,327,366	15,573,014
1971-72	239,681,767	72,952,327	38,105,100	40,185,908	18,694,248
1972-73	263,689,250	81,718,778	39,538,086	43,979,073	20,084,377
1973-74	298,463,293	96,285,597	44,823,649	49,354,030	23,849,352
1974-75	308,909,091	109,858,511	47,052,298	50,876,038	21,311,828
1975-76	355,206,793	127,298,520	53,474,396	58,338,333	22,905,040
1976-77	393,705,412	138,419,634	57,987,692	65,071,033	24,480,060
1977-78	446,939,119	151,415,679	67,564,943	72,265,362	33,503,832
1978-79	507,446,118	171,295,068	75,856,547	87,557,910	35,523,351

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 3,516,828.99
1966-67	3,705,067.60
1967-68	3,918,913.46
1968-69	4,267,009.22
1969-70	4,687,050.73
1970-71	4,924,159.80
1971-72	5,460,497.10
1972-73	6,058,770.52
1973-74	6,710,802.09
1974-75	6,941,738.35
1975-76	7,989,642.19
1976-77	8,837,341.13
1977-78	9,908,092.65
1978-79	11,019,985.20

Region I

Counties in Region: Davie, Forsyth, Stokes, Surry, Yadkin

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,285.9
WATER	8.0
TOTAL	1,293.9
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	652.3
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	467.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	95.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	299,479		
1970	333,769	- 0.1%	36218
1971	339,145	0.4	3864
1972	345,885	1.2	2637
1973	349,143	0.3	2167
1974	353,145	0.6	1981
1975	356,556	0.4	1886
1976	357,998	- 0.1	1688
1977	361,299	0.4	1764
1978	366,179	0.9	1749

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,667
1971	3,921
1972	4,295
1973	4,822
1974	5,267
1975	5,646
1976	6,293
1977	6,866
1978	7,579

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979	
DEMOCRAT	118,920
REPUBLICAN	61,471
OTHER	8,902
TOTAL	189,293

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	154,700	147,260	7,440	4.8%
1971	158,180	150,000	8,180	5.2
1972	162,920	156,640	6,280	3.9
1973	165,670	159,810	5,860	3.5
1974	172,650	165,780	6,870	4.0
1975	175,650	161,450	14,200	8.1
1976	180,280	169,500	10,780	6.0
1977	185,640	175,470	10,170	5.5
1978	188,350	180,360	7,990	4.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	128,140	55,090	73,050
1971	129,300	53,440	75,860
1972	134,880	56,150	78,730
1973	141,180	58,980	82,200
1974	144,760	59,900	84,860
1975	138,770	55,750	83,020
1976	147,380	58,720	88,660
1977	152,530	61,080	91,450
1978	163,170	63,160	100,010

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	1,438	164
1966	NA	1,653	151
1967	NA	1,713	156
1968	NA	1,709	136
1969	NA	1,714	130
1970	NA	1,825	105
1971	NA	1,825	92
1972	197	1,969	96
1973	NA	2,239	89
1974	185	2,170	76
1975	NA	2,140	91
1976	228	1,958	73
1977	NA	1,962	62
1978	271	2,074	78
1979	NA	1,989	64

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 43,814	$104,257	3,737	4,856
1965 THRU 1969	147,723	159,773	4,066	6,240
1970 THRU 1974	72,892	165,351	2,129	2,693
1975 THRU 1979	84,737	399,310	1,960	4,147

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	316,421	$ 77,204,225
1966	312,576	76,935,362
1967	314,072	81,385,644
1968	306,077	78,919,091
1969	300,831	91,451,684
1970	298,615	79,505,000
1971	244,345	77,622,000
1972	240,052	78,431,000
1973	223,602	107,236,000
1974	246,483	112,886,000
1975	263,561	115,058,000
1976	268,999	121,243,000
1977	264,375	117,423,000
1978	NA	143,630,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	9,955	2,508	1,672	NA
1966-67	8,729	2,516	1,758	NA
1967-68	8,699	2,518	1,823	255
1968-69	8,257	2,445	1,890	258
1969-70	8,785	2,387	2,069	246
1970-71	10,591	2,271	2,247	248
1971-72	12,161	2,190	2,550	294
1972-73	12,378	2,013	2,633	291
1973-74	12,022	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	13,117	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	13,599	4,100	4,170	265
1976-77	13,401	3,854	4,185	256
1977-78	12,809	3,711	4,171	230
1978-79	11,848	3,568	4,210	239

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	836	106	1,162	86
1969	845	135	1,332	106
1970	745	164	1,493	126
1971	647	165	1,239	99
1972	539	188	1,549	79
1973	568	161	1,872	NA
1974	510	194	2,574	94
1975	630	263	2,805	89
1976	647	267	2,749	48
1977	661	213	NA	84
1978	581	250	NA	56
1979	664	239	2,097	36

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	599.02
MUNICIPAL	93.14
TOTAL	692.16
SECONDARY	
RURAL	3,543.09
MUNICIPAL	151.97
TOTAL	3,695.06
PAVED	3,003.59
UNPAVED	1,383.63
TOTAL	4,387.22

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	161,567	5,341	2,958	81
1966	173,489	5,878	3,057	87
1967	180,622	6,206	3,055	88
1968	191,325	7,039	3,395	91
1969	200,223	7,908	3,575	102
1970	208,198	2,557	3,759	99
1971	221,442	8,796	3,708	89
1972	235,369	8,083	3,786	100
1973	251,205	8,119	4,364	98
1974	256,621	7,895	1,509	85
1975	268,246	8,539	4,691	88
1976	281,598	9,224	4,698	77
1977	295,629	9,405	4,886	85
1978	311,357	10,518	5,348	86
1979	320,568	10,386	5,270	79

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	75,295	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	75,748	NA	2,667	1,876
1967-68	76,665	4,115	2,834	1,869
1968-69	78,001	5,066	2,999	1,881
1969-70	78,438	6,383	3,247	1,959
1970-71	77,926	6,999	3,602	1,946
1971-72	76,474	8,232	3,917	1,942
1972-73	75,398	6,790	4,097	1,909
1973-74	75,829	7,605	4,278	1,686
1974-75	75,848	9,379	4,625	1,801
1975-76	76,072	11,351	4,989	1,849
1976-77	77,010	10,946	5,033	1,981
1977-78	76,693	12,217	5,154	2,024
1978-79	75,547	13,550	5,302	2,129
1979-80	74,772	14,167	5,514	2,147

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 587,284,505	$ 128,632,935	$ 86,226,444	$ 104,393,129	$ 56,390,133
1966-67	609,314,975	136,881,677	97,700,077	111,154,272	53,106,013
1967-68	663,949,265	148,502,053	114,880,448	120,376,314	62,770,870
1968-69	748,728,967	162,941,315	127,663,962	138,014,111	71,520,346
1969-70	799,502,045	181,725,087	136,704,156	142,873,558	77,412,671
1970-71	857,257,098	192,231,046	148,697,031	147,859,387	80,207,484
1971-72	976,479,192	220,157,910	162,205,006	168,669,942	90,596,537
1972-73	1,118,433,404	248,851,896	190,324,398	195,276,271	105,035,231
1973-74	1,223,559,009	282,827,419	202,800,118	216,949,988	111,903,995
1974-75	1,296,819,974	317,874,697	213,826,117	245,179,336	114,085,079
1975-76	1,476,043,722	351,960,929	250,693,952	290,578,530	120,191,811
1976-77	1,623,798,801	369,333,146	268,659,017	325,875,511	128,960,975
1977-78	1,843,341,677	401,463,487	299,614,023	396,049,687	150,404,797
1978-79	2,026,762,925	449,031,799	321,374,499	428,917,987	177,760,294

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 13,221,532.83
1966-67	13,669,590.52
1967-68	14,901,594.33
1968-69	16,622,828.53
1969-70	18,319,996.84
1970-71	19,569,061.81
1971-72	22,283,986.12
1972-73	25,209,438.24
1973-74	27,327,578.64
1974-75	28,814,846.23
1975-76	32,721,284.21
1976-77	35,922,937.81
1977-78	40,299,423.45
1978-79	44,166,319.31

Counties in Region: Chatham, Durham, Johnston, Lee, Orange, Wake

Region J

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	2,112.4
WATER	12.7
TOTAL	2,125.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	1,302.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	586.8
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	142.3

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	440,329		
1970	541,012	0.9%	57539
1971	552,560	0.7	6782
1972	568,128	2.0	4460
1973	579,632	1.4	3720
1974	592,797	1.6	3657
1975	599,331	0.5	3608
1976	605,390	0.4	3514
1977	614,594	0.9	3747
1978	622,049	0.6	3813

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,528
1971	3,839
1972	4,150
1973	4,626
1974	5,067
1975	5,568
1976	6,095
1977	6,680
1978	7,439

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	222,963
REPUBLICAN	49,175
OTHER	14,396
TOTAL	286,534

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	245,560	236,570	8,990	3.7%
1971	253,650	243,560	10,090	4.0
1972	269,320	260,880	8,440	3.1
1973	280,040	272,400	7,640	2.7
1974	294,050	284,850	9,200	3.1
1975	301,980	284,180	17,800	5.9
1976	309,860	295,440	14,420	4.7
1977	322,180	308,320	13,860	4.3
1978	335,550	324,070	11,480	3.4

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	211,230	55,510	155,720
1971	210,400	47,790	162,610
1972	225,630	50,800	174,830
1973	238,810	54,690	184,120
1974	254,220	57,630	196,590
1975	249,400	52,220	197,180
1976	259,580	54,580	205,000
1977	270,970	57,470	213,500
1978	292,230	60,430	231,800

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	2,494	253
1966	NA	2,673	247
1967	NA	2,700	213
1968	NA	2,787	213
1969	NA	2,810	189
1970	NA	2,785	232
1971	NA	2,885	163
1972	522	2,894	201
1973	NA	2,896	157
1974	578	2,959	125
1975	NA	3,054	135
1976	655	3,222	134
1977	NA	3,289	129
1978	758	3,529	127
1979	NA	3,566	131

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 32,248	$ 42,804	5,584	5,209
1965 THRU 1969	172,355	89,498	10,136	5,179
1970 THRU 1974	142,238	97,819	6,881	3,877
1975 THRU 1979	259,538	263,915	7,421	8,396

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	464,538	$ 124,986,492
1966	461,333	140,292,835
1967	462,627	143,620,520
1968	452,114	131,911,486
1969	446,594	159,464,760
1970	438,962	146,853,000
1971	432,939	144,288,000
1972	423,842	160,132,000
1973	391,069	211,605,000
1974	309,160	235,034,000
1975	402,553	247,081,000
1976	403,440	252,114,000
1977	407,371	241,331,000
1978	NA	287,880,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	14,245	3,915	2,365	NA
1966-67	14,819	3,779	2,435	NA
1967-68	14,686	3,735	2,559	487
1968-69	14,898	3,690	2,851	510
1969-70	17,672	3,861	3,277	534
1970-71	20,969	3,873	3,786	562
1971-72	22,310	3,808	4,144	586
1972-73	21,647	3,432	4,267	567
1973-74	20,116	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	21,875	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	23,467	7,475	7,526	503
1976-77	23,865	6,994	7,612	473
1977-78	22,272	6,716	7,712	462
1978-79	20,561	6,454	7,756	470

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	1,263	360	1,942	227
1969	988	401	2,054	228
1970	1,134	411	2,172	174
1971	1,245	408	2,257	140
1972	947	512	2,144	142
1973	905	443	2,632	NA
1974	953	518	3,481	138
1975	974	566	3,694	124
1976	995	543	3,928	80
1977	986	461	NA	106
1978	929	620	NA	63
1979	971	574	4,222	67

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	873.01
MUNICIPAL	158.06
TOTAL	1,031.07
SECONDARY	
RURAL	4,872.35
MUNICIPAL	321.24
TOTAL	5,193.59
PAVED	4,745.84
UNPAVED	1,478.82
TOTAL	6,224.66

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	242,518	10,220	5,810	181
1966	264,906	11,129	5,903	196
1967	280,380	12,202	6,571	171
1968	295,612	13,113	6,224	206
1969	304,464	14,419	6,655	160
1970	324,636	15,215	6,876	178
1971	344,081	16,722	7,239	186
1972	370,876	15,622	7,830	198
1973	394,986	15,399	8,534	189
1974	411,641	15,158	8,140	131
1975	430,958	16,211	8,641	156
1976	443,751	16,811	9,019	130
1977	470,288	17,827	9,222	154
1978	499,453	20,214	10,264	141
1979	521,844	20,179	10,492	143

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	112,962	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	114,880	NA	6,108	3,043
1967-68	117,033	5,387	6,828	2,879
1968-69	118,623	5,640	7,362	2,945
1969-70	119,101	6,967	8,439	2,522
1970-71	118,927	7,358	8,656	2,760
1971-72	118,555	9,299	9,438	2,879
1972-73	118,383	10,584	10,051	2,897
1973-74	121,422	9,582	10,225	2,463
1974-75	121,963	12,233	11,199	2,736
1975-76	124,101	12,537	12,135	2,989
1976-77	127,013	13,349	12,197	3,387
1977-78	126,766	14,585	12,690	3,223
1978-79	125,619	16,136	12,967	3,511
1979-80	124,604	15,341	13,503	3,153

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 1,011,567,167	$ 202,658,898	$ 196,057,694	$ 146,540,127	$ 120,780,716
1966-67	1,098,724,199	220,287,025	221,175,367	156,529,699	122,090,652
1967-68	1,170,242,590	243,087,663	232,084,852	168,221,966	130,736,414
1968-69	1,308,476,232	282,428,559	257,260,689	182,737,961	156,632,131
1969-70	1,400,870,519	312,029,037	278,706,014	198,313,293	158,144,816
1970-71	1,515,034,877	344,387,735	301,936,723	215,151,616	164,057,014
1971-72	1,716,014,908	373,173,590	343,291,193	232,758,131	192,649,165
1972-73	1,960,315,085	419,011,386	395,506,857	264,099,420	210,855,068
1973-74	2,181,036,404	498,121,787	458,366,996	293,005,821	222,357,333
1974-75	2,283,910,414	564,992,753	485,235,723	310,151,554	210,379,542
1975-76	2,555,991,473	637,343,253	533,362,418	347,547,046	225,742,037
1976-77	2,837,571,505	695,949,820	592,257,965	394,038,063	259,616,375
1977-78	3,203,778,763	790,157,682	640,955,805	444,360,858	319,324,460
1978-79	3,663,935,330	896,317,352	735,414,340	508,730,732	382,477,305

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 23,131,203.30
1966-67	25,270,614.15
1967-68	27,279,795.59
1968-69	30,640,735.18
1969-70	33,521,732.78
1970-71	36,348,878.44
1971-72	41,487,843.52
1972-73	46,620,762.70
1973-74	51,454,460.42
1974-75	54,424,409.01
1975-76	59,263,257.77
1976-77	65,708,376.40
1977-78	75,168,044.61
1978-79	86,912,742.03

Counties in Region: Franklin, Granville, Person, Vance, Warren

Region K

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,342.5
WATER	33.5
TOTAL	1,376.0
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	841.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	393.1
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	48.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	139,913		
1970	133,527	- 1.5%	14256
1971	135,477	0.4	1271
1972	135,951	- 0.3	913
1973	137,878	0.9	659
1974	137,814	- 0.5	580
1975	137,856	- 0.3	516
1976	137,393	- 0.7	517
1977	138,804	0.6	601
1978	139,781	0.3	556

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,580
1971	2,790
1972	3,108
1973	3,497
1974	3,824
1975	4,057
1976	4,745
1977	4,941
1978	5,576

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	55,691
REPUBLICAN	4,231
OTHER	650
TOTAL	60,572

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	55,310	52,320	2,990	5.4%
1971	56,480	53,130	3,350	5.9
1972	59,980	56,430	3,550	5.9
1973	61,510	58,370	3,140	5.1
1974	61,530	57,230	4,300	7.0
1975	63,130	55,800	7,330	11.6
1976	63,870	58,700	5,170	8.1
1977	63,850	59,050	4,800	7.5
1978	64,200	60,660	3,540	5.5

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	34,920	15,330	19,590
1971	36,870	16,460	20,410
1972	39,930	18,070	21,860
1973	41,410	18,970	22,440
1974	41,190	18,550	22,640
1975	38,670	16,330	22,340
1976	40,740	17,620	23,120
1977	42,010	17,990	24,020
1978	43,980	18,540	25,440

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	369	97
1966	NA	411	78
1967	NA	351	85
1968	NA	381	68
1969	NA	383	72
1970	NA	379	70
1971	NA	390	55
1972	28	390	51
1973	NA	384	56
1974	31	384	33
1975	NA	378	37
1976	36	378	31
1977	NA	378	46
1978	44	378	36
1979	NA	362	27

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 7,395	$ 19,595	2,558	1,970
1965 THRU 1969	26,325	39,431	3,301	3,049
1970 THRU 1974	64,550	31,015	2,585	1,533
1975 THRU 1979	66,416	66,523	1,981	2,251

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	303,728	$ 67,474,161
1966	301,532	67,216,491
1967	301,462	75,156,149
1968	302,273	61,942,083
1969	300,440	79,590,367
1970	298,120	72,454,000
1971	287,992	72,735,000
1972	272,616	76,869,000
1973	274,279	98,700,000
1974	266,439	110,723,000
1975	260,510	105,637,000
1976	262,928	138,476,000
1977	212,264	113,594,000
1978	NA	145,216,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	4,333	1,534	876	NA
1966-67	4,689	1,473	925	NA
1967-68	4,570	1,447	923	142
1968-69	4,628	1,409	958	156
1969-70	4,857	1,430	1,043	163
1970-71	4,976	1,393	1,083	159
1971-72	5,147	1,391	1,162	161
1972-73	4,758	1,238	1,167	168
1973-74	4,595	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	5,222	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	6,001	3,429	2,624	192
1976-77	6,402	3,264	2,784	182
1977-78	6,533	3,152	2,897	169
1978-79	6,328	3,090	2,940	149

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	355	62	416	21
1969	372	68	589	25
1970	366	72	680	45
1971	335	93	674	43
1972	298	90	766	46
1973	251	75	739	NA
1974	352	93	858	38
1975	272	129	902	22
1976	308	100	920	27
1977	283	83	NA	25
1978	211	120	NA	33
1979	202	96	855	15

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	509.20
MUNICIPAL	42.75
TOTAL	551.95
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,744.72
MUNICIPAL	47.02
TOTAL	2,791.74
PAVED	2,282.85
UNPAVED	1,060.84
TOTAL	3,343.69

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	49,364	2,073	1,361	53
1966	52,069	2,163	1,314	47
1967	56,345	2,225	1,322	72
1968	59,340	2,363	1,357	72
1969	60,990	2,651	1,476	60
1970	62,899	2,754	1,384	83
1971	66,731	2,838	1,524	64
1972	71,795	2,656	1,533	83
1973	76,523	2,782	1,709	80
1974	78,666	2,617	1,417	69
1975	81,426	2,600	1,399	45
1976	86,161	2,853	1,503	38
1977	89,942	3,062	1,609	49
1978	94,464	3,209	1,562	60
1979	97,525	2,931	1,554	47

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	38,590	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	37,918	NA	987	645
1967-68	37,889	1,353	1,029	709
1968-69	36,672	1,462	1,072	723
1969-70	35,318	1,648	1,114	651
1970-71	34,419	3,552	1,244	689
1971-72	33,369	4,081	1,248	741
1972-73	33,089	3,732	1,381	709
1973-74	33,856	3,950	1,410	596
1974-75	33,429	4,359	1,459	706
1975-76	33,225	4,876	1,550	612
1976-77	33,096	3,886	1,523	667
1977-78	32,710	4,763	1,644	697
1978-79	32,180	4,541	1,651	762
1979-80	31,580	4,696	1,618	796

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 152,130,461	$ 37,249,682	$ 26,940,394	$ 37,913,679	$ 11,714,256
1966-67	158,854,073	40,545,631	28,951,254	38,017,762	11,198,787
1967-68	174,957,672	43,428,357	31,358,070	40,881,866	13,843,269
1968-69	187,459,700	47,901,157	33,560,687	42,924,808	13,682,234
1969-70	208,022,733	53,114,946	38,694,643	47,484,283	14,228,497
1970-71	223,388,944	59,045,481	42,225,346	49,001,380	16,177,905
1971-72	251,457,230	65,024,012	45,451,064	53,029,379	17,899,423
1972-73	274,517,178	70,992,387	50,371,698	58,650,035	17,499,273
1973-74	306,648,381	83,064,783	58,969,983	61,186,112	20,257,371
1974-75	321,205,228	92,442,517	62,640,818	63,060,966	20,403,765
1975-76	363,712,046	105,323,963	72,861,354	67,628,616	22,093,712
1976-77	396,055,935	113,542,055	77,260,022	74,987,257	25,025,651
1977-78	421,299,629	123,294,052	81,028,125	81,043,367	29,095,040
1978-79	476,246,445	143,256,465	88,964,045	91,888,112	32,294,165

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 3,124,260.15
1966-67	3,295,696.48
1967-68	3,616,334.49
1968-69	3,903,648.63
1969-70	4,371,834.26
1970-71	4,810,739.75
1971-72	5,632,060.03
1972-73	5,941,440.81
1973-74	6,587,968.26
1974-75	6,638,099.42
1975-76	7,424,873.54
1976-77	8,232,818.52
1977-78	8,699,465.69
1978-79	9,835,992.60

Counties in Region: Edgecombe, Halifax, Nash, Northampton, Wilson

Region L

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,708.9
WATER	16.7
TOTAL	1,725.6
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	909.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	677.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	70.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	258,711		
1970	246,402	- 1.7%	30022
1971	247,948	- 0.3	2454
1972	248,035	- 0.7	1714
1973	251,364	0.7	1537
1974	253,607	0.3	1469
1975	256,787	0.7	1472
1976	257,574	- 0.3	1440
1977	260,971	0.7	1581
1978	262,600	0.0	1617

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,686
1971	2,927
1972	3,281
1973	3,763
1974	4,208
1975	4,474
1976	5,106
1977	5,339
1978	6,084

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	89,328
REPUBLICAN	10,788
OTHER	1,432
TOTAL	101,548

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	101,840	96,570	5,270	5.2%
1971	104,460	99,050	5,410	5.2
1972	110,350	104,290	6,060	5.5
1973	114,640	108,800	5,840	5.1
1974	116,380	109,230	7,150	6.1
1975	118,360	107,880	10,480	8.9
1976	122,020	113,640	8,380	6.9
1977	124,040	114,250	9,790	7.9
1978	124,600	117,680	6,920	5.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	72,520	27,010	45,510
1971	75,840	28,950	46,890
1972	79,310	31,620	47,690
1973	84,360	34,970	49,390
1974	87,340	35,630	51,710
1975	85,230	31,620	53,610
1976	90,340	34,870	55,470
1977	92,770	34,950	57,820
1978	97,400	35,220	62,180

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	704	193
1966	NA	722	165
1967	NA	723	161
1968	NA	723	127
1969	NA	724	130
1970	NA	770	143
1971	NA	762	106
1972	88	951	121
1973	NA	968	120
1974	89	955	85
1975	NA	968	93
1976	95	1,006	80
1977	NA	1,006	84
1978	110	986	100
1979	NA	968	74

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 21,449	$ 21,006	4,596	2,477
1965 THRU 1969	53,543	59,079	4,008	3,318
1970 THRU 1974	168,115	90,067	7,163	4,081
1975 THRU 1979	109,928	212,641	3,399	4,407

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	593,023	$ 120,162,688
1966	590,134	127,005,053
1967	594,939	130,235,663
1968	587,502	122,123,668
1969	585,829	139,867,173
1970	587,244	145,620,000
1971	591,479	148,925,000
1972	581,469	160,287,000
1973	575,440	221,935,000
1974	571,904	245,039,000
1975	566,246	245,559,000
1976	565,890	275,489,000
1977	572,172	249,112,000
1978	NA	307,095,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	6,161	2,664	1,192	NA
1966-67	6,864	2,513	1,274	NA
1967-68	7,365	2,444	1,352	270
1968-69	8,367	2,403	1,450	272
1969-70	9,824	2,452	1,624	253
1970-71	11,138	2,448	1,775	254
1971-72	12,196	2,415	1,969	267
1972-73	12,057	2,210	2,109	248
1973-74	11,424	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	11,979	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	13,202	6,188	4,727	237
1976-77	15,059	5,798	4,767	204
1977-78	16,271	5,536	4,872	203
1978-79	16,938	5,367	5,109	189

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	634	123	664	93
1969	560	119	728	110
1970	569	147	846	92
1971	600	125	859	70
1972	535	131	917	89
1973	499	116	1,080	NA
1974	512	135	1,342	75
1975	555	164	1,629	50
1976	696	157	1,551	39
1977	575	159	NA	61
1978	449	217	NA	62
1979	463	219	1,552	59

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	859.45
MUNICIPAL	111.56
TOTAL	971.01
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,836.99
MUNICIPAL	134.06
TOTAL	2,971.05
PAVED	3,275.45
UNPAVED	666.61
TOTAL	3,942.06

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	96,717	4,072	2,605	130
1966	102,374	4,404	2,609	127
1967	104,527	4,867	2,829	102
1968	109,236	4,961	2,758	146
1969	112,730	5,391	2,809	130
1970	115,822	5,455	2,852	115
1971	124,289	5,874	3,136	120
1972	132,566	5,875	3,426	147
1973	141,663	5,776	3,844	137
1974	147,510	5,561	3,316	104
1975	154,621	5,822	3,650	113
1976	164,658	6,354	3,789	101
1977	171,843	6,761	3,865	96
1978	179,888	6,807	3,745	101
1979	184,833	6,299	3,396	97

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	73,414	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	71,858	NA	2,208	1,512
1967-68	70,940	2,657	2,274	1,507
1968-69	69,945	4,541	2,274	1,518
1969-70	67,806	5,871	2,189	1,448
1970-71	65,058	7,911	2,472	1,553
1971-72	63,289	6,621	2,683	1,612
1972-73	61,647	7,953	2,771	1,633
1973-74	62,770	7,268	2,842	1,395
1974-75	61,991	8,722	2,927	1,574
1975-76	62,114	10,161	3,062	1,503
1976-77	62,137	8,827	3,260	1,462
1977-78	61,196	10,222	3,325	1,645
1978-79	60,105	10,404	3,262	1,654
1979-80	58,815	8,880	3,309	1,741

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 380,638,616	$ 89,339,727	$ 65,196,283	$ 82,579,020	$ 32,931,106
1966-67	417,260,659	97,595,458	71,165,677	92,855,106	33,830,820
1967-68	432,432,602	103,307,493	77,473,550	90,158,434	35,490,609
1968-69	478,573,441	111,378,249	85,390,402	101,558,026	40,488,810
1969-70	511,090,378	121,988,994	93,223,127	107,634,883	41,114,356
1970-71	551,319,778	139,174,639	101,410,931	107,187,584	42,914,431
1971-72	617,690,689	148,220,738	113,797,187	119,751,423	48,543,402
1972-73	704,663,607	165,131,065	130,347,738	131,263,262	56,478,848
1973-74	816,126,408	194,087,747	148,961,560	145,153,117	71,253,908
1974-75	887,852,843	223,331,287	163,754,546	153,928,771	68,461,115
1975-76	972,148,506	248,809,818	185,504,808	160,059,943	71,612,869
1976-77	1,052,537,197	261,918,277	194,182,947	176,390,773	81,679,426
1977-78	1,119,924,898	282,199,483	195,553,975	193,076,584	92,841,401
1978-79	1,249,839,228	314,055,281	228,020,913	214,119,136	104,025,961

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 8,205,235.75
1966-67	9,437,054.04
1967-68	9,370,729.68
1968-69	10,394,298.26
1969-70	11,302,915.48
1970-71	12,256,018.39
1971-72	13,840,561.22
1972-73	15,789,836.27
1973-74	17,843,465.60
1974-75	18,913,387.06
1975-76	20,670,232.20
1976-77	22,157,162.82
1977-78	23,687,092.05
1978-79	25,692,103.01

Region M

AREA (thousands of acres)

LAND	1,418.3
WATER	10.2
TOTAL	1,428.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	813.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	454.0
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	59.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	244,667		
1970	306,663	0.4%	52029
1971	308,124	- 1.2	6218
1972	308,639	- 1.4	4679
1973	314,901	0.6	4446
1974	327,522	2.6	4514
1975	328,498	- 1.1	4560
1976	330,570	- 0.7	4525
1977	335,016	- 0.1	4700
1978	337,718	- 0.6	4592

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,848
1971	3,037
1972	3,450
1973	3,831
1974	4,191
1975	4,508
1976	4,872
1977	5,098
1978	5,631

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	78,295
REPUBLICAN	19,995
OTHER	3,880
TOTAL	102,170

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	92,190	88,100	4,090	4.4%
1971	93,220	88,250	4,970	5.3
1972	98,950	94,840	4,110	4.2
1973	103,010	99,270	3,740	3.6
1974	106,230	101,280	4,950	4.7
1975	109,880	101,680	8,200	7.5
1976	114,310	106,690	7,620	6.7
1977	114,530	106,390	8,140	7.1
1978	115,250	109,090	6,160	5.3

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	68,430	16,430	52,000
1971	69,010	17,200	51,810
1972	73,980	19,100	54,880
1973	78,880	21,210	57,670
1974	82,990	21,710	61,280
1975	82,300	19,480	62,820
1976	86,230	21,050	65,180
1977	86,340	20,530	65,810
1978	89,340	21,030	68,310

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	556	212
1966	NA	541	171
1967	NA	541	180
1968	NA	537	178
1969	NA	833	161
1970	NA	833	144
1971	NA	839	173
1972	93	846	157
1973	NA	846	127
1974	77	846	127
1975	NA	846	119
1976	105	846	117
1977	NA	935	98
1978	99	935	114
1979	NA	931	111

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 5,125	$ 4,854	1,413	2,005
1965 THRU 1969	82,288	32,136	3,751	2,478
1970 THRU 1974	29,032	121,440	2,532	2,989
1975 THRU 1979	111,030	119,271	1,847	3,500

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	378,063	$ 89,650,501
1966	380,553	100,256,487
1967	385,619	104,836,938
1968	393,186	90,256,392
1969	390,226	109,224,182
1970	379,497	102,510,000
1971	381,402	101,369,000
1972	376,584	111,285,000
1973	363,096	147,736,000
1974	364,297	171,642,000
1975	380,971	175,572,000
1976	371,313	182,461,000
1977	372,278	161,897,000
1978	NA	205,579,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	7,345	1,879	1,124	NA
1966-67	7,184	1,854	1,126	NA
1967-68	7,055	1,826	1,148	231
1968-69	7,414	1,793	1,213	219
1969-70	8,701	1,816	1,366	197
1970-71	10,549	1,773	1,558	191
1971-72	12,129	1,834	1,767	215
1972-73	12,113	1,720	1,880	191
1973-74	11,675	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	13,300	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	15,222	4,092	3,762	192
1976-77	16,140	3,904	3,857	174
1977-78	17,084	3,760	3,881	177
1978-79	16,684	3,595	4,016	162

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	675	105	1,198	80
1969	640	112	1,452	126
1970	780	116	1,627	111
1971	645	141	1,677	105
1972	563	139	1,720	88
1973	585	130	2,007	NA
1974	597	166	2,259	137
1975	539	199	2,380	118
1976	581	179	2,266	86
1977	528	152	NA	112
1978	581	224	NA	96
1979	638	173	2,270	65

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	550.05
MUNICIPAL	79.12
TOTAL	629.17
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,938.37
MUNICIPAL	101.75
TOTAL	3,040.12
PAVED	2,907.55
UNPAVED	761.74
TOTAL	3,669.29

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	100,223	4,348	3,028	109
1966	104,146	4,903	3,137	116
1967	114,394	5,440	3,582	135
1968	119,826	5,469	3,460	126
1969	126,006	6,273	3,768	117
1970	131,092	6,184	3,520	90
1971	139,700	6,742	3,653	112
1972	152,120	6,980	3,981	126
1973	166,733	6,143	4,114	114
1974	173,975	6,335	4,272	93
1975	183,409	7,196	4,682	98
1976	194,905	7,558	5,091	121
1977	204,041	7,441	5,067	91
1978	212,495	7,533	4,673	89
1979	219,758	7,675	4,808	110

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	66,229	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	68,413	NA	1,864	1,339
1967-68	70,079	3,691	2,045	1,405
1968-69	70,684	4,208	2,171	1,351
1969-70	70,662	6,010	2,367	1,359
1970-71	71,066	6,503	2,699	1,454
1971-72	70,978	7,660	2,938	1,561
1972-73	70,084	9,115	3,111	1,468
1973-74	71,808	9,005	3,315	1,397
1974-75	72,061	11,445	3,741	1,451
1975-76	72,340	14,733	4,170	1,507
1976-77	73,828	13,696	4,029	1,511
1977-78	72,888	14,871	4,266	1,635
1978-79	71,598	16,696	4,706	1,667
1979-80	71,303	14,557	4,991	1,672

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 356,920,152	$ 78,813,929	$ 62,299,718	$ 62,676,910	$ 34,158,057
1966-67	403,296,273	90,135,226	70,472,902	69,178,732	36,741,859
1967-68	438,138,984	96,549,419	76,550,649	75,751,173	40,415,478
1968-69	488,337,651	107,765,214	82,005,833	85,509,186	46,241,084
1969-70	521,853,793	118,336,941	97,059,945	88,186,571	46,455,131
1970-71	552,799,703	130,256,767	102,277,827	94,518,295	45,977,443
1971-72	631,065,863	136,944,113	114,850,274	102,428,692	60,820,778
1972-73	735,181,633	158,060,025	125,731,456	121,701,104	78,062,132
1973-74	823,732,038	192,331,423	141,139,395	134,690,481	83,461,345
1974-75	852,317,334	216,375,613	153,735,174	143,523,286	82,323,658
1975-76	965,432,231	246,181,751	178,509,838	163,216,122	83,970,128
1976-77	1,043,992,133	263,210,752	196,205,094	174,633,821	85,995,947
1977-78	1,148,798,900	290,969,484	215,647,449	189,465,207	106,230,806
1978-79	1,293,942,149	327,939,122	247,628,409	217,766,794	119,501,434

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 7,548,753.85
1966-67	8,740,570.77
1967-68	9,578,056.38
1968-69	10,739,583.44
1969-70	12,088,864.90
1970-71	12,893,278.46
1971-72	14,476,702.30
1972-73	16,649,404.62
1973-74	18,681,129.84
1974-75	19,543,741.42
1975-76	21,999,857.06
1976-77	23,420,228.74
1977-78	25,629,377.37
1978-79	28,540,859.89

Counties in Region: Bladen, Hoke, Robeson, Scotland

Region N

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,606.9
WATER	15.0
TOTAL	1,621.9
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	961.6
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	436.2
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	52.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	159,522		
1970	154,684	- 1.7%	22690
1971	156,657	- 0.4	2704
1972	159,684	0.6	2091
1973	162,690	0.7	1926
1974	165,030	0.3	1815
1975	169,282	1.5	1816
1976	169,402	- 1.0	1803
1977	171,129	- 0.1	1854
1978	172,707	- 0.1	1804

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,375
1971	2,580
1972	2,895
1973	3,291
1974	3,835
1975	3,700
1976	4,136
1977	4,291
1978	4,936

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	70,237
REPUBLICAN	4,736
OTHER	916
TOTAL	75,889

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	62,950	58,610	4,340	6.9%
1971	64,220	59,350	4,870	7.6
1972	67,540	62,310	5,230	7.7
1973	69,830	65,790	4,040	5.8
1974	70,500	65,220	5,280	7.5
1975	71,950	61,640	10,310	14.3
1976	72,410	65,440	6,970	9.6
1977	74,750	67,830	6,920	9.3
1978	75,860	71,160	4,700	6.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	41,630	20,210	21,420
1971	43,060	21,000	22,060
1972	44,480	23,100	21,380
1973	47,940	25,380	22,560
1974	49,080	25,380	23,700
1975	45,530	21,140	24,390
1976	48,590	23,070	25,520
1977	51,760	24,600	27,160
1978	55,450	26,140	29,310

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	477	152
1966	NA	517	130
1967	NA	517	125
1968	NA	517	106
1969	NA	596	107
1970	NA	596	99
1971	NA	586	88
1972	48	586	106
1973	NA	608	95
1974	49	608	80
1975	NA	610	66
1976	64	610	51
1977	NA	610	70
1978	61	610	61
1979	NA	656	63

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 25,143	$ 6,257	4,675	1,046
1965 THRU 1969	57,162	54,063	5,023	2,908
1970 THRU 1974	90,367	27,452	4,501	2,749
1975 THRU 1979	346,206	117,854	4,739	4,487

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	436,444	$ 83,472,752
1966	435,442	84,964,964
1967	442,085	89,657,092
1968	444,099	82,885,075
1969	438,992	90,283,928
1970	437,763	91,137,000
1971	434,041	92,573,000
1972	429,315	103,353,000
1973	419,726	137,938,000
1974	407,796	150,941,000
1975	413,485	190,206,000
1976	413,502	158,454,000
1977	428,813	125,715,000
1978	NA	166,599,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	5,904	1,594	913	NA
1966-67	5,993	1,539	955	NA
1967-68	5,638	1,502	977	144
1968-69	5,785	1,459	1,003	135
1969-70	7,065	1,455	1,095	131
1970-71	8,551	1,438	1,216	133
1971-72	9,943	1,463	1,497	132
1972-73	10,340	1,358	1,642	137
1973-74	10,299	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	10,891	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	11,824	4,048	3,776	139
1976-77	12,249	3,796	3,940	132
1977-78	12,909	3,668	4,115	134
1978-79	12,541	3,547	4,222	133

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	546	102	1,373	67
1969	538	127	1,548	84
1970	580	147	1,499	83
1971	567	171	1,356	107
1972	494	199	1,414	109
1973	459	158	1,485	NA
1974	532	220	1,898	85
1975	545	257	2,029	70
1976	653	222	2,040	71
1977	567	193	NA	98
1978	487	260	NA	44
1979	516	244	2,219	44

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	679.35
MUNICIPAL	69.83
TOTAL	749.18
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,721.33
MUNICIPAL	114.70
TOTAL	2,836.03
PAVED	2,991.42
UNPAVED	593.79
TOTAL	3,585.21

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	53,079	2,522	1,824	103
1966	56,485	2,760	1,956	97
1967	59,296	2,851	1,809	107
1968	62,775	3,096	2,084	107
1969	65,341	3,500	2,232	109
1970	67,527	3,643	2,216	111
1971	72,585	3,787	2,320	125
1972	78,295	3,572	2,419	125
1973	84,821	3,465	2,420	108
1974	88,582	3,325	2,171	113
1975	92,940	3,388	2,228	98
1976	99,525	3,479	2,291	92
1977	104,318	3,623	2,156	75
1978	107,956	3,943	2,472	82
1979	113,037	3,834	2,510	74

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	49,343	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	48,767	NA	1,402	497
1967-68	48,439	1,705	1,407	541
1968-69	47,803	2,884	1,502	577
1969-70	46,920	3,907	1,620	540
1970-71	46,093	4,379	1,897	509
1971-72	45,349	5,663	2,128	521
1972-73	44,518	5,480	2,237	558
1973-74	45,914	4,297	2,318	436
1974-75	46,053	7,163	2,466	517
1975-76	46,290	6,696	2,805	514
1976-77	46,592	6,324	2,853	556
1977-78	46,792	7,390	2,999	591
1978-79	46,145	8,121	2,716	582
1979-80	45,980	5,800	2,744	570

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 178,898,895	$ 39,662,403	$ 35,604,859	$ 39,977,841	$ 10,803,967
1966-67	187,847,212	43,470,795	37,659,168	42,782,166	10,333,075
1967-68	208,847,962	47,706,404	42,939,086	46,819,579	11,904,684
1968-69	228,597,193	52,856,825	46,006,316	52,875,156	12,992,503
1969-70	245,300,167	59,461,750	49,989,541	56,145,016	13,253,571
1970-71	264,908,746	65,638,523	54,395,586	58,714,755	14,275,727
1971-72	303,933,652	70,474,780	61,210,968	64,982,242	19,397,770
1972-73	338,923,066	77,254,648	68,023,424	71,168,641	23,416,489
1973-74	384,381,375	87,866,936	82,201,972	78,003,246	28,092,351
1974-75	401,407,760	98,576,632	85,028,525	90,885,763	23,817,342
1975-76	469,452,937	116,911,110	94,010,170	106,232,365	26,931,076
1976-77	516,872,625	127,057,821	99,643,600	120,775,473	29,688,061
1977-78	542,005,109	138,756,831	102,312,183	124,610,199	33,009,012
1978-79	601,459,224	157,607,042	115,817,710	132,204,170	36,800,397

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 3,630,152.83
1966-67	3,810,968.23
1967-68	4,264,093.19
1968-69	4,667,459.07
1969-70	5,208,534.73
1970-71	5,713,606.97
1971-72	6,464,608.99
1972-73	7,214,736.21
1973-74	8,063,578.11
1974-75	8,201,859.15
1975-76	9,475,154.35
1976-77	10,468,013.77
1977-78	11,565,191.53
1978-79	12,485,996.84

*Counties in Region: Brunswick, Columbus, New Hanover, Pender

Region O

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,823.8
WATER	62.7
TOTAL	1,886.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	1,379.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	278.3
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	52.0

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	159,501		
1970	172,305	- 0.3%	17387
1971	178,067	1.7	1998
1972	183,877	2.4	1559
1973	191,549	3.4	1447
1974	196,102	1.6	1460
1975	199,141	0.8	1389
1976	200,785	0.2	1334
1977	202,232	0.1	1302
1978	201,750	- 0.8	1220

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,860
1971	3,025
1972	3,386
1973	3,750
1974	4,026
1975	4,351
1976	4,772
1977	5,220
1978	5,789

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	74,092
REPUBLICAN	18,164
OTHER	2,644
TOTAL	94,900

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	71,370	68,030	3,340	4.7%
1971	71,350	66,960	4,390	6.2
1972	77,640	73,490	4,150	5.3
1973	80,630	77,070	3,560	4.4
1974	83,090	77,840	5,250	6.3
1975	85,010	76,760	8,250	9.7
1976	87,560	80,450	7,110	8.1
1977	89,290	81,810	7,480	8.4
1978	89,930	85,240	4,690	5.2

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	51,180	16,920	34,260
1971	51,740	16,300	35,440
1972	57,830	18,530	39,300
1973	61,560	19,710	41,850
1974	63,720	19,650	44,070
1975	60,460	17,780	42,680
1976	63,460	18,980	44,480
1977	65,320	18,950	46,370
1978	69,040	19,350	49,690

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	637	120
1966	NA	684	106
1967	NA	684	83
1968	NA	743	80
1969	NA	755	68
1970	NA	758	79
1971	NA	757	70
1972	62	768	74
1973	NA	813	85
1974	68	802	60
1975	NA	802	52
1976	77	785	72
1977	NA	785	54
1978	95	813	43
1979	NA	799	35

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 71,877	$ 18,410	2,143	1,328
1965 THRU 1969	196,917	76,435	4,252	2,267
1970 THRU 1974	174,739	95,923	1,867	1,221
1975 THRU 1979	688,077	271,661	2,001	1,591

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	228,390	$ 70,902,928
1966	230,776	73,590,996
1967	233,892	75,468,192
1968	229,846	71,349,778
1969	226,061	82,160,008
1970	226,525	65,861,000
1971	224,696	64,269,000
1972	220,908	70,815,000
1973	185,966	91,070,000
1974	180,964	107,053,000
1975	180,690	112,553,000
1976	218,955	108,431,000
1977	229,254	112,028,000
1978	NA	131,635,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	4,515	1,539	966	NA
1966-67	4,075	1,470	896	NA
1967-68	3,768	1,384	880	227
1968-69	3,625	1,330	892	214
1969-70	3,926	1,257	906	219
1970-71	4,418	1,138	945	198
1971-72	5,070	1,083	1,014	218
1972-73	4,870	997	1,022	225
1973-74	4,652	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	5,325	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	6,399	3,567	2,933	200
1976-77	7,104	3,350	3,069	176
1977-78	7,635	3,258	3,219	159
1978-79	7,624	3,170	3,433	161

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	360	93	810	67
1969	365	132	911	69
1970	491	151	802	104
1971	510	175	843	91
1972	487	190	1,019	92
1973	456	163	988	NA
1974	487	175	1,275	95
1975	495	208	1,471	68
1976	495	198	1,616	39
1977	493	167	NA	64
1978	505	219	NA	53
1979	407	188	1,475	55

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	624.95
MUNICIPAL	80.56
TOTAL	705.51
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,180.57
MUNICIPAL	136.16
TOTAL	2,316.73
PAVED	2,414.65
UNPAVED	607.59
TOTAL	3,022.24

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	66,161	3,021	2,046	63
1966	70,591	3,608	2,205	86
1967	75,470	3,643	2,306	80
1968	81,134	4,024	2,346	76
1969	85,906	4,477	2,354	77
1970	89,910	4,572	2,235	68
1971	97,258	5,076	2,420	100
1972	106,586	4,934	2,709	96
1973	116,059	5,070	3,019	100
1974	121,317	4,589	2,825	69
1975	126,571	4,912	3,082	47
1976	133,517	5,369	3,401	70
1977	138,450	5,338	3,418	61
1978	144,124	5,372	3,527	69
1979	149,981	5,344	3,524	57

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	43,938	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	43,890	NA	1,940	388
1967-68	44,547	4,030	1,951	411
1968-69	44,733	5,257	1,992	377
1969-70	44,383	6,962	2,174	433
1970-71	44,812	7,731	2,518	393
1971-72	45,100	8,119	2,544	424
1972-73	45,511	8,287	2,827	426
1973-74	46,386	6,339	2,923	345
1974-75	46,845	11,304	3,129	419
1975-76	47,284	10,180	3,573	427
1976-77	48,437	5,950	3,500	477
1977-78	47,800	6,635	3,664	492
1978-79	47,416	7,787	3,674	542
1979-80	46,970	6,428	3,679	916

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 259,817,812	$ 59,490,131	$ 53,950,145	$ 48,335,363	$ 22,536,772
1966-67	289,890,797	65,769,589	63,191,107	51,030,996	26,708,848
1967-68	323,082,804	71,679,073	69,228,761	55,355,383	32,509,786
1968-69	350,110,705	77,797,989	74,061,129	62,390,173	35,610,784
1969-70	376,333,059	86,427,474	82,076,113	68,970,561	36,752,297
1970-71	407,895,770	95,375,903	91,040,238	73,047,231	40,316,865
1971-72	476,415,227	102,922,514	103,413,320	87,213,659	49,807,062
1972-73	555,297,147	122,307,911	118,899,940	97,313,711	57,623,992
1973-74	656,575,532	150,590,825	136,352,310	112,957,004	69,587,346
1974-75	687,943,658	172,160,894	139,444,181	122,724,743	65,996,307
1975-76	768,702,482	190,628,740	154,285,731	135,875,738	65,569,427
1976-77	811,594,391	201,832,945	157,621,240	150,196,757	71,535,983
1977-78	902,158,525	221,964,953	170,371,533	162,831,501	89,557,430
1978-79	1,011,675,721	248,736,424	191,005,570	185,878,829	104,495,584

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 5,622,939.83
1966-67	6,318,198.43
1967-68	7,121,732.83
1968-69	7,771,400.98
1969-70	8,683,118.45
1970-71	9,981,318.74
1971-72	11,610,031.49
1972-73	13,851,738.15
1973-74	15,434,296.94
1974-75	15,986,489.15
1975-76	17,397,824.80
1976-77	18,385,850.03
1977-78	20,166,231.36
1978-79	22,583,808.10

Counties in Region: Carteret, Craven, Duplin, Greene, Jones, Lenoir, Onslow, Pamlico, Wayne

Region P

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	3,090.5
WATER	581.0
TOTAL	3,671.5
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	1,805.9
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	755.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	68.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	387,620		
1970	410,123	- 1.2%	68456
1971	412,814	- 0.9	7296
1972	409,011	- 2.3	5531
1973	413,161	- 0.3	5290
1974	418,147	- 0.1	5226
1975	438,607	3.7	5125
1976	443,725	0.0	5224
1977	446,102	- 0.7	5324
1978	451,152	0.0	5251

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,964
1971	3,069
1972	3,452
1973	3,951
1974	4,418
1975	4,665
1976	4,922
1977	5,178
1978	6,007

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	128,005
REPUBLICAN	22,211
OTHER	4,170
TOTAL	154,386

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	136,710	130,410	6,300	4.6%
1971	137,420	130,200	7,220	5.3
1972	145,090	137,000	8,090	5.6
1973	149,670	142,550	7,120	4.8
1974	151,430	142,480	8,950	5.9
1975	157,520	145,370	12,150	7.7
1976	162,760	151,700	11,060	6.8
1977	163,520	151,780	11,740	7.2
1978	167,420	159,130	8,290	5.0

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	96,180	24,390	71,790
1971	96,970	24,550	72,420
1972	101,260	26,260	75,000
1973	106,650	28,310	78,340
1974	109,770	28,940	80,830
1975	110,770	27,020	83,750
1976	116,340	28,810	87,530
1977	118,010	29,090	88,920
1978	124,850	30,500	94,350

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	898	289
1966	NA	900	237
1967	NA	864	198
1968	NA	886	203
1969	NA	892	209
1970	NA	1,031	220
1971	NA	1,050	190
1972	144	1,050	178
1973	NA	1,037	175
1974	124	1,159	165
1975	NA	1,203	153
1976	145	1,224	165
1977	NA	1,297	152
1978	146	1,290	139
1979	NA	1,271	121

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 35,533	$ 18,999	3,294	1,651
1965 THRU 1969	99,311	32,949	6,305	2,355
1970 THRU 1974	111,365	133,530	6,498	3,273
1975 THRU 1979	87,973	83,345	3,809	5,141

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	678,330	$ 178,294,451
1966	690,042	201,446,263
1967	699,703	203,340,524
1968	698,678	198,383,349
1969	691,317	234,683,154
1970	696,171	232,724,000
1971	696,737	222,098,000
1972	686,242	254,532,000
1973	637,951	376,145,000
1974	515,024	405,611,000
1975	641,204	430,836,000
1976	694,117	430,384,000
1977	724,643	387,585,000
1978	NA	510,354,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	8,782	3,106	1,811	NA
1966-67	9,052	3,019	1,841	NA
1967-68	9,676	3,030	1,927	422
1968-69	10,474	2,981	2,054	418
1969-70	12,140	3,051	2,244	406
1970-71	14,068	2,997	2,375	383
1971-72	15,761	2,966	2,629	389
1972-73	14,917	2,684	2,717	356
1973-74	13,423	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	13,677	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	14,952	6,906	5,796	300
1976-77	16,467	6,526	5,975	300
1977-78	16,793	6,331	6,199	313
1978-79	16,537	6,086	6,438	294

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	Admissions
1968	610	136	1,196	120
1969	667	150	1,622	137
1970	688	155	1,340	147
1971	696	142	1,452	117
1972	685	163	1,524	124
1973	868	156	1,971	NA
1974	815	191	2,427	135
1975	910	234	2,716	82
1976	861	230	2,840	70
1977	807	171	NA	86
1978	670	281	NA	75
1979	677	257	2,934	49

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	1,007.24
MUNICIPAL	121.91
TOTAL	1,129.15
SECONDARY	
RURAL	4,450.77
MUNICIPAL	161.58
TOTAL	4,612.35
PAVED	4,562.16
UNPAVED	1,179.34
TOTAL	5,741.50

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	147,912	5,903	3,258	121
1966	154,460	6,965	3,564	135
1967	160,910	7,129	3,545	140
1968	170,940	7,570	3,754	151
1969	177,127	8,089	4,177	162
1970	185,653	8,461	4,297	128
1971	197,715	9,117	4,510	160
1972	212,190	8,797	4,754	169
1973	225,852	8,909	5,160	163
1974	235,313	8,763	4,979	158
1975	248,210	9,711	5,573	129
1976	265,529	10,081	5,868	136
1977	277,078	10,207	6,010	116
1978	292,278	10,573	6,061	124
1979	301,004	10,305	6,006	137

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	96,503	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	96,619	NA	3,04+	1,448
1967-68	97,436	7,040	3,351	1,567
1968-69	96,696	10,514	3,497	1,512
1969-70	96,417	13,481	3,522	1,346
1970-71	94,820	17,451	3,875	1,311
1971-72	93,028	18,551	3,982	1,260
1972-73	91,292	18,794	4,168	1,191
1973-74	91,899	18,493	4,261	978
1974-75	91,356	18,690	4,554	1,135
1975-76	90,849	22,153	4,792	1,136
1976-77	91,562	18,641	4,845	1,152
1977-78	90,990	21,592	4,847	1,254
1978-79	88,967	21,113	4,880	1,276
1979-80	87,188	22,511	5,093	1,311

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 528,943,795	$ 114,336,584	$ 107,663,293	$ 98,011,249	$ 38,739,701
1966-67	568,898,621	125,033,853	121,110,657	104,529,703	37,901,395
1967-68	607,069,449	132,942,997	128,688,929	112,600,122	42,152,877
1968-69	670,275,906	144,530,740	140,067,063	121,107,643	49,871,825
1969-70	707,954,331	160,930,357	148,862,680	129,737,084	47,498,873
1970-71	762,438,449	175,322,956	159,154,551	138,590,439	53,099,671
1971-72	857,977,476	193,565,886	166,391,886	150,271,644	68,842,030
1972-73	993,825,264	224,226,334	184,265,404	185,698,918	82,418,628
1973-74	1,098,467,565	256,735,130	211,949,286	187,412,454	91,392,805
1974-75	1,169,980,557	297,946,468	226,704,053	211,036,249	86,574,769
1975-76	1,355,409,344	342,366,064	259,859,628	240,948,577	93,676,600
1976-77	1,477,090,105	355,011,293	283,265,169	266,303,694	112,145,635
1977-78	1,604,566,862	396,793,970	310,122,738	288,918,649	124,499,899
1978-79	1,789,101,181	445,328,827	346,005,318	318,090,702	140,360,305

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 10,834,776.32
1966-67	11,764,484.66
1967-68	12,594,743.66
1968-69	14,023,119.53
1969-70	15,449,089.52
1970-71	16,772,869.47
1971-72	18,925,150.23
1972-73	21,212,866.48
1973-74	23,792,222.73
1974-75	25,550,517.16
1975-76	28,781,133.19
1976-77	31,159,184.76
1977-78	34,065,648.23
1978-79	37,584,435.31

Counties in Region: Beaufort, Bertie, Hertford, Martin, Pitt

Region Q

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	1,922.0
WATER	124.9
TOTAL	2,046.9
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	1,195.2
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	557.4
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	64.7

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	180,163		
1970	179,577	- 0.8%	19632
1971	179,746	- 0.7	1753
1972	178,591	- 1.3	1106
1973	180,610	0.6	968
1974	181,547	- 0.1	1063
1975	186,609	2.2	1121
1976	188,267	0.3	1129
1977	190,341	0.5	1218
1978	192,115	0.3	1255

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,629
1971	2,727
1972	3,128
1973	3,634
1974	4,061
1975	4,415
1976	4,945
1977	5,123
1978	5,837

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	66,331
REPUBLICAN	7,524
OTHER	1,574
TOTAL	75,429

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	73,910	69,530	4,380	5.9%
1971	75,310	70,730	4,580	6.1
1972	78,970	74,320	4,650	5.9
1973	81,820	77,750	4,070	5.0
1974	82,600	78,120	4,480	5.4
1975	87,010	80,780	6,230	7.2
1976	90,690	84,880	5,810	6.4
1977	93,370	86,820	6,550	7.0
1978	94,640	90,030	4,610	4.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	47,750	15,940	31,810
1971	50,711	17,150	33,561
1972	52,100	18,550	33,550
1973	55,560	20,370	35,190
1974	57,570	20,700	36,870
1975	58,780	19,530	39,250
1976	62,300	20,700	41,600
1977	65,440	21,130	44,310
1978	69,070	22,160	46,910

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	578	127
1966	NA	585	124
1967	NA	585	74
1968	NA	585	104
1969	NA	634	114
1970	NA	628	97
1971	NA	628	76
1972	64	643	80
1973	NA	660	55
1974	73	647	78
1975	NA	697	78
1976	81	719	55
1977	NA	865	71
1978	103	865	51
1979	NA	823	67

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 66,086	$ 6,643	2,532	2,189
1965 THRU 1969	110,612	39,015	4,621	1,162
1970 THRU 1974	47,695	296,988	3,180	2,295
1975 THRU 1979	80,602	307,829	1,931	2,452

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	495,255	$ 115,522,571
1966	500,567	126,178,448
1967	506,476	126,888,377
1968	503,677	123,508,972
1969	496,820	139,957,877
1970	503,688	140,926,000
1971	500,775	131,260,000
1972	496,066	150,639,000
1973	504,459	203,382,000
1974	497,069	228,607,000
1975	501,348	233,872,000
1976	515,068	258,329,000
1977	522,346	226,180,000
1978	NA	276,373,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	4,366	2,101	992	NA
1966-67	4,817	2,026	1,014	NA
1967-68	5,191	1,975	1,076	283
1968-69	5,464	1,897	1,146	274
1969-70	5,971	1,898	1,227	251
1970-71	6,152	1,824	1,276	240
1971-72	6,476	1,762	1,384	253
1972-73	6,519	1,530	1,419	233
1973-74	6,287	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	6,502	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	7,380	4,758	3,720	211
1976-77	8,556	4,411	3,798	188
1977-78	8,818	4,286	3,909	189
1978-79	8,897	4,131	4,039	184

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	488	129	849	95
1969	421	130	919	110
1970	429	152	927	106
1971	433	142	1,028	87
1972	411	141	1,116	73
1973	354	120	1,121	NA
1974	382	135	1,521	58
1975	427	152	1,671	30
1976	521	131	1,635	32
1977	429	148	NA	28
1978	418	175	NA	33
1979	432	178	1,485	26

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	730.50
MUNICIPAL	86.39
TOTAL	816.89
SECONDARY	
RURAL	2,645.54
MUNICIPAL	81.98
TOTAL	2,727.52
PAVED	2,533.47
UNPAVED	1,010.94
TOTAL	3,544.41

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	71,059	2,960	1,649	60
1966	75,059	3,288	1,767	60
1967	77,816	3,365	1,727	61
1968	81,858	3,399	1,622	73
1969	84,323	3,766	1,706	63
1970	86,987	3,935	1,826	70
1971	92,871	4,262	2,129	88
1972	98,361	3,994	2,096	79
1973	104,726	3,873	2,299	74
1974	109,267	4,112	2,365	92
1975	116,635	4,328	2,358	49
1976	124,381	4,485	2,345	46
1977	130,298	4,781	2,551	51
1978	135,660	4,734	2,531	44
1979	139,636	4,857	2,635	61

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	51,446	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	50,991	NA	2,186	743
1967-68	50,095	2,361	2,266	816
1968-69	48,980	3,829	2,383	760
1969-70	47,450	5,552	2,346	750
1970-71	46,151	6,616	2,696	756
1971-72	44,851	6,230	2,856	847
1972-73	43,554	7,205	2,894	775
1973-74	44,810	6,542	2,982	609
1974-75	44,434	7,295	3,236	732
1975-76	43,569	8,243	2,919	702
1976-77	43,561	6,687	3,332	647
1977-78	43,193	7,867	3,298	703
1978-79	42,323	9,112	3,283	715
1979-80	43,497	9,480	3,311	724

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups: Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 253,393,045	$ 57,645,292	$ 46,695,767	$ 45,335,645	$ 15,745,453
1966-67	268,552,184	64,644,532	51,083,773	47,865,719	14,768,899
1967-68	288,356,002	67,719,800	55,060,422	50,231,011	16,544,585
1968-69	318,493,720	73,346,028	62,710,275	55,189,017	20,061,940
1969-70	338,722,969	81,472,174	67,026,663	58,917,804	19,437,763
1970-71	372,951,001	90,483,784	72,620,878	63,233,255	22,581,355
1971-72	406,544,059	96,975,840	78,662,375	66,032,833	26,360,287
1972-73	462,123,830	108,115,493	91,383,750	70,840,059	33,424,885
1973-74	542,333,061	128,772,607	107,123,792	78,861,766	38,954,922
1974-75	599,351,660	149,992,525	118,861,783	88,916,851	38,331,137
1975-76	689,340,247	172,444,823	139,862,122	106,557,799	41,454,845
1976-77	765,039,692	191,332,288	151,996,355	123,541,971	47,990,950
1977-78	807,023,952	213,656,775	157,040,239	130,409,210	55,594,800
1978-79	905,364,854	237,932,072	179,482,799	144,476,488	65,452,225

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 5,618,950.22
1966-67	6,248,883.73
1967-68	6,254,587.72
1968-69	6,803,731.42
1969-70	7,548,218.56
1970-71	8,313,648.93
1971-72	9,055,198.29
1972-73	10,299,675.36
1973-74	12,060,572.47
1974-75	13,825,994.71
1975-76	15,334,911.02
1976-77	16,531,552.13
1977-78	18,505,799.26
1978-79	19,965,543.51

Counties in Region: Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Hyde, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Tyrrell, Washington

Region R

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	2,093.4
WATER	1,506.7
TOTAL	3,600.1
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	1,357.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	444.7
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	37.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	97,698		
1970	97,302	- 0.9%	8666
1971	98,507	0.4	721
1972	98,618	- 0.3	442
1973	100,658	1.7	335
1974	102,781	1.7	392
1975	106,274	3.0	380
1976	106,781	0.2	344
1977	108,016	0.7	448
1978	109,909	1.2	573

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,582
1971	2,565
1972	3,093
1973	3,832
1974	4,095
1975	4,131
1976	4,745
1977	4,973
1978	5,614

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	44,999
REPUBLICAN	3,380
OTHER	1,068
TOTAL	49,447

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	37,340	35,070	2,270	6.1%
1971	37,710	35,360	2,350	6.2
1972	39,070	36,660	2,410	6.2
1973	39,500	37,570	1,930	4.9
1974	40,040	38,070	1,970	4.9
1975	42,340	39,440	2,900	6.8
1976	43,830	41,370	2,460	5.6
1977	44,630	41,780	2,850	6.4
1978	47,660	45,480	2,180	4.6

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	19,790	4,430	15,360
1971	20,070	4,160	15,910
1972	20,480	4,260	16,220
1973	21,560	4,620	16,940
1974	22,690	4,720	17,970
1975	23,490	4,280	19,210
1976	24,980	4,550	20,430
1977	25,710	4,270	21,440
1978	27,710	4,650	23,060

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	276	58
1966	NA	276	46
1967	NA	276	54
1968	NA	276	43
1969	NA	276	40
1970	NA	267	47
1971	NA	327	45
1972	32	327	30
1973	NA	328	20
1974	35	342	38
1975	NA	342	34
1976	42	342	27
1977	NA	342	19
1978	45	313	27
1979	NA	348	37

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 57,899	$ 1,626	2,808	391
1965 THRU 1969	5,900	2,203	1,185	58
1970 THRU 1974	2,145	2,378	412	407
1975 THRU 1979	6,606	2,936	436	115

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	364,729	$ 60,127,428
1966	375,299	54,506,654
1967	385,478	52,866,219
1968	385,242	58,238,156
1969	397,578	67,652,046
1970	404,689	64,194,000
1971	414,619	56,550,000
1972	418,027	74,421,000
1973	423,389	117,973,000
1974	439,297	138,083,000
1975	449,054	125,790,000
1976	458,616	147,630,000
1977	465,649	132,725,000
1978	NA	140,310,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	1,838	1,263	512	NA
1966-67	1,882	1,189	518	NA
1967-68	2,081	1,123	538	181
1968-69	2,292	1,056	550	180
1969-70	2,677	991	581	176
1970-71	3,238	912	619	169
1971-72	3,416	836	635	168
1972-73	3,288	745	643	156
1973-74	3,217	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	3,205	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	3,634	2,255	1,568	132
1976-77	3,887	2,003	1,542	121
1977-78	3,787	1,886	1,550	117
1978-79	3,853	1,854	1,533	110

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	168	72	527	21
1969	196	70	386	23
1970	196	75	312	22
1971	197	76	387	11
1972	240	88	385	13
1973	198	72	349	NA
1974	211	85	357	21
1975	232	71	511	22
1976	230	77	557	4
1977	258	64	NA	20
1978	250	123	NA	22
1979	264	86	621	16

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	597.84
MUNICIPAL	54.03
TOTAL	651.87
SECONDARY	
RURAL	1,882.55
MUNICIPAL	33.91
TOTAL	1,916.46
PAVED	1,937.27
UNPAVED	631.06
TOTAL	2,568.33

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	39,595	1,344	605	26
1966	41,186	1,476	749	50
1967	42,916	1,583	820	50
1968	44,694	1,607	753	48
1969	46,232	1,776	878	50
1970	47,242	1,919	890	41
1971	50,398	2,058	931	36
1972	54,008	1,907	1,010	39
1973	57,365	1,979	1,208	46
1974	61,067	1,972	1,121	37
1975	64,826	2,138	1,158	41
1976	69,605	2,295	1,194	44
1977	73,561	2,399	1,236	41
1978	78,194	2,472	1,236	38
1979	81,013	2,396	1,346	29

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	26,258	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	25,869	NA	1,031	290
1967-68	26,038	1,984	1,024	291
1968-69	26,141	3,302	1,040	305
1969-70	25,414	2,927	1,037	300
1970-71	25,248	4,675	1,155	324
1971-72	25,124	2,699	1,236	290
1972-73	24,889	4,407	1,289	297
1973-74	25,532	3,884	1,392	257
1974-75	25,470	4,172	1,474	322
1975-76	25,553	4,821	1,694	268
1976-77	25,504	3,791	1,651	264
1977-78	25,180	3,846	1,675	334
1978-79	24,613	4,639	1,697	325
1979-80	23,770	4,520	1,727	350

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 132,897,918	$ 33,519,666	$ 24,674,004	$ 24,206,243	$ 7,996,101
1966-67	136,527,553	35,818,949	25,897,360	24,802,689	7,250,009
1967-68	142,829,677	36,967,499	26,719,955	27,439,912	8,101,289
1968-69	158,109,431	40,463,451	29,559,153	29,933,308	8,523,633
1969-70	171,947,095	44,536,575	33,781,635	32,067,456	8,670,468
1970-71	190,687,264	49,917,377	39,609,804	33,967,056	9,312,048
1971-72	207,427,088	52,595,607	41,196,466	35,682,277	11,862,670
1972-73	236,957,963	59,483,272	45,930,475	38,722,846	15,369,470
1973-74	281,720,198	69,760,948	55,972,146	43,057,213	19,178,834
1974-75	323,191,170	81,219,913	70,092,478	49,888,319	18,887,915
1975-76	356,566,143	93,914,155	74,130,008	52,892,831	22,433,021
1976-77	409,266,839	102,061,226	83,736,998	60,719,520	27,703,366
1977-78	444,660,648	115,404,867	89,429,234	64,653,648	33,555,468
1978-79	494,291,083	132,382,370	100,765,702	69,252,779	41,373,580

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 2,949,639.17
1966-67	2,769,803.81
1967-68	2,910,639.20
1968-69	3,225,843.46
1969-70	3,611,665.76
1970-71	4,004,034.46
1971-72	4,414,049.21
1972-73	5,085,073.56
1973-74	5,849,942.10
1974-75	6,447,997.23
1975-76	7,304,760.77
1976-77	8,275,057.42
1977-78	9,193,456.33
1978-79	10,155,769.93

SMSA – NonSMSA Profiles

Standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) are designated by the U.S. Office of Federal Statistical Policy and Standards. The criteria for the establishment and definition of SMSA's have undergone several modifications. The current criteria were adopted in March 1976; they provide that each SMSA must include at least:

(a) One city with 50,000 or more inhabitants, or

(b) A city with at least 25,000 inhabitants, which, together with contiguous places (incorporated or unincorporated) having population densities of at least 1,000 persons per square mile, has a combined population of 50,000 and constitutes for general economic and social purposes a single community provided that the county or counties in which the city and contiguous places are located has a total population of at least 75,000.

In addition to the central city or cities, the criteria provide that the SMSA include the county in which the central city is located, and adjacent counties that are determined to be metropolitan in character and economically and socially integrated with the county of the central city, according to specific rules.

Following is a listing of the standard metropolitan statistical areas in North Carolina and their respective county or counties:

NORTH CAROLINA SMSA'S

SMSA	Counties
Asheville, N.C.	Buncombe, Madison
Burlington, N.C.	Alamance
Charlotte-Gastonia, N.C.	Gaston, Mecklenburg, Union
Fayetteville, N.C.	Cumberland
Greensboro-Winston-Salem-High Point, N.C.	Davidson, Forsyth, Guilford, Randolph, Stokes, Yadkin
Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Portsmouth, Va.-N.C. (N.C. Portion)	Currituck
Raleigh-Durham, N.C.	Durham, Orange, Wake
Wilmington, N.C.	Brunswick, New Hanover

N.C. SMSA'S

LEGEND

- ⊙ Places of 100,000 or more inhabitants
- ● Places of 50,000 to 100,000 inhabitants
- □ Central cities of SMSA's with fewer than 50,000 inhabitants
- ○ Places of 25,000 to 50,000 inhabitants outside SMSA's

Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (SMSA's) as defined in 1972

SOURCE: U. S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

SMSA Counties

SMSA Counties: Alamance, Brunswick, Buncombe, Cumberland, Currituck, Davidson, Durham, Forsyth, Gaston, Guilford, Madison, Mecklenburg, New Hanover, Orange, Randolph, Stokes, Union, Wake, Yadkin

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	6,255.3
WATER	231.4
TOTAL	6,486.7
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	3,477.5
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	1,685.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	612.6

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	1,869,962		
1970	2,284,966	0.7%	274540
1971	2,319,479	0.1	32330
1972	2,367,560	1.1	22432
1973	2,403,443	0.7	18929
1974	2,443,577	0.9	17755
1975	2,455,161	- 0.2	16850
1976	2,466,137	- 0.2	16025
1977	2,491,170	0.3	16620
1978	2,516,009	0.3	16779

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$3,642
1971	3,924
1972	4,309
1973	4,759
1974	5,158
1975	5,539
1976	6,104
1977	6,649
1978	7,391

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	780,381
REPUBLICAN	278,039
OTHER	59,166
TOTAL	1,117,586

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	1,003,660	966,870	36,790	3.7%
1971	1,026,990	982,780	44,210	4.3
1972	1,076,560	1,041,890	34,670	3.2
1973	1,107,310	1,075,390	31,920	2.9
1974	1,161,790	1,119,690	42,100	3.6
1975	1,179,450	1,091,360	88,090	7.5
1976	1,194,500	1,126,280	68,220	5.7
1977	1,229,980	1,165,370	64,610	5.3
1978	1,259,290	1,212,730	46,560	3.7

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	898,110	313,980	584,130
1971	915,350	311,300	604,050
1972	972,070	328,160	643,910
1973	1,015,440	341,400	674,040
1974	1,051,230	341,450	709,780
1975	1,013,780	306,200	707,580
1976	1,050,070	317,360	732,710
1977	1,082,660	324,810	757,850
1978	1,147,310	334,370	812,940

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	8,609	1,185
1966	NA	8,938	1,061
1967	NA	9,132	981
1968	NA	9,373	1,025
1969	NA	9,629	949
1970	NA	9,771	964
1971	NA	9,998	879
1972	1,337	10,282	824
1973	NA	10,600	767
1974	1,393	11,026	653
1975	NA	11,240	585
1976	1,566	11,420	631
1977	NA	11,709	533
1978	1,844	12,267	564
1979	NA	12,074	510

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 230,521	$ 386,200	33,608	28,708
1965 THRU 1969	874,590	744,135	35,402	30,336
1970 THRU 1974	598,732	962,044	15,999	19,702
1975 THRU 1979	1,609,533	1,447,501	23,674	21,125

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	1,139,312	$ 233,360,260
1966	1,183,428	247,088,895
1967	1,183,033	256,077,948
1968	1,018,511	245,912,934
1969	1,026,446	285,473,607
1970	1,119,574	258,456,000
1971	1,037,161	252,049,000
1972	1,027,966	265,101,000
1973	965,501	362,775,000
1974	806,715	395,856,000
1975	1,012,077	403,462,000
1976	1,018,622	449,610,000
1977	978,005	439,976,000
1978	NA	535,477,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	44,854	13,705	8,246	NA
1966-67	43,959	13,217	8,336	NA
1967-68	43,742	13,038	8,589	1,780
1968-69	44,647	12,785	9,148	1,810
1969-70	52,896	12,752	10,148	1,854
1970-71	67,148	12,266	11,552	1,902
1971-72	78,116	12,062	12,907	2,029
1972-73	75,617	10,917	13,122	1,954
1973-74	72,593	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	83,450	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	93,492	23,972	23,519	1,742
1976-77	95,679	22,164	23,809	1,629
1977-78	94,270	21,303	24,180	1,600
1978-79	89,441	20,302	24,559	1,557

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	5,046	888	8,020	1,005
1969	4,530	1,052	9,134	976
1970	4,972	1,205	9,478	1,093
1971	4,703	1,318	9,700	869
1972	4,192	1,541	10,009	678
1973	3,929	1,370	11,321	NA
1974	4,056	1,652	14,018	665
1975	4,467	1,968	15,768	549
1976	4,412	1,880	16,012	364
1977	4,537	1,626	NA	549
1978	3,941	2,130	NA	439
1979	4,134	1,972	15,492	372

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	2,602.77
MUNICIPAL	651.64
TOTAL	3,254.41
SECONDARY	
RURAL	15,100.65
MUNICIPAL	1,039.14
TOTAL	16,139.79
PAVED	14,730.37
UNPAVED	4,663.83
TOTAL	19,394.20

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	988,293	40,781	23,695	553
1966	1,068,284	46,050	24,586	596
1967	1,131,027	49,040	25,945	590
1968	1,191,329	53,937	26,729	626
1969	1,246,370	59,953	28,755	631
1970	1,309,552	56,702	28,530	628
1971	1,389,408	66,867	29,562	612
1972	1,493,719	64,090	31,471	668
1973	1,600,014	62,532	35,100	651
1974	1,649,059	60,246	31,019	492
1975	1,710,250	63,698	36,521	546
1976	1,779,191	67,963	39,005	542
1977	1,872,015	71,872	40,864	494
1978	1,971,047	78,584	43,801	527
1979	2,042,776	78,923	44,757	568

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	488,576	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	498,682	NA	20,521	11,624
1967-68	509,635	26,392	22,432	11,376
1968-69	518,751	32,582	23,941	11,420
1969-70	523,585	40,788	26,452	10,859
1970-71	522,608	49,485	28,952	10,931
1971-72	519,486	53,058	31,535	11,329
1972-73	516,416	58,566	33,488	11,153
1973-74	522,588	55,664	35,001	10,284
1974-75	523,854	73,650	38,061	11,232
1975-76	528,683	82,462	41,908	11,824
1976-77	541,655	79,624	42,145	12,923
1977-78	536,886	88,369	43,621	13,007
1978-79	529,426	93,902	44,645	13,689
1979-80	525,228	86,192	45,807	13,875

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 4,462,966,417	$ 903,406,130	$ 812,698,178	$ 675,729,085	$ 509,176,749
1966-67	4,815,168,389	989,300,139	929,945,193	712,671,776	537,534,942
1967-68	5,165,838,434	1,069,958,480	1,000,770,500	761,837,757	554,716,055
1968-69	5,817,632,575	1,199,257,449	1,111,687,818	874,697,499	646,916,229
1969-70	6,210,676,848	1,310,197,715	1,213,335,588	941,662,806	679,709,490
1970-71	6,683,932,655	1,395,106,907	1,323,924,124	1,033,192,025	700,378,193
1971-72	7,743,851,989	1,518,610,851	1,511,114,326	1,204,268,276	843,104,481
1972-73	8,773,565,103	1,711,448,562	1,690,693,476	1,334,419,917	974,065,105
1973-74	9,780,295,115	2,001,587,724	1,864,597,293	1,525,078,861	1,106,800,799
1974-75	10,097,662,577	2,236,158,017	1,900,770,345	1,626,425,306	1,041,161,968
1975-76	11,305,336,728	2,528,910,877	2,169,834,505	1,844,751,768	1,052,947,855
1976-77	12,401,272,061	2,674,789,787	2,351,267,799	2,081,092,639	1,139,947,869
1977-78	14,255,545,197	2,966,442,889	2,659,664,837	2,435,432,071	1,390,990,384
1978-79	16,253,107,720	3,341,291,430	3,035,670,027	2,796,113,012	1,689,422,904

SALES & USE TAX

	Gross Collections
1965-66	$ 98,220,753.40
1966-67	106,839,234.60
1967-68	115,109,605.30
1968-69	128,824,534.60
1969-70	141,551,940.60
1970-71	151,775,708.40
1971-72	174,115,502.50
1972-73	197,064,965.40
1973-74	216,205,027.20
1974-75	221,815,971.40
1975-76	244,074,320.90
1976-77	266,789,501.70
1977-78	303,667,142.70
1978-79	343,182,833.90

NonSMSA Counties

AREA
(thousands of acres)

LAND	24,935.1
WATER	2,333.7
TOTAL	27,268.8
MAJOR CATEGORIES OF LAND	
FORESTRY	14,883.0
CROPLAND AND PASTURES	6,506.9
URBAN AND BUILT-UP	849.4

POPULATION

	Total Population	Migration	Natural Increase
1960	2,686,193		
1970	2,799,445	- 0.7%	324041
1971	2,838,313	0.2	33356
1972	2,853,694	- 0.3	23776
1973	2,898,996	0.9	20943
1974	2,931,918	0.4	20274
1975	2,986,205	1.2	19728
1976	2,995,963	- 0.3	18915
1977	3,023,730	0.3	19743
1978	3,054,737	0.4	19758

PER CAPITA INCOME

1970	$2,839
1971	3,029
1972	3,397
1973	3,852
1974	4,182
1975	4,454
1976	4,954
1977	5,325
1978	6,019

VOTER REGISTRATIONS

OCTOBER, 1979

DEMOCRAT	1,004,468
REPUBLICAN	295,990
OTHER	42,336
TOTAL	1,342,794

LABOR FORCE (by place of residence)

	Total Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Rate of Unemployment
1970	1,180,400	1,123,130	57,270	4.9%
1971	1,197,130	1,135,310	61,820	5.2
1972	1,250,470	1,192,160	58,310	4.7
1973	1,288,770	1,237,550	51,220	4.0
1974	1,291,270	1,222,310	68,960	5.3
1975	1,324,510	1,195,630	128,880	9.7
1976	1,359,500	1,268,720	90,780	6.7
1977	1,386,020	1,295,630	90,390	6.5
1978	1,418,790	1,349,280	69,510	4.9

EMPLOYMENT (by place of work)

	Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
1970	850,740	406,070	444,670
1971	862,641	405,010	457,631
1972	897,240	429,830	467,410
1973	942,660	451,510	491,150
1974	956,450	448,000	508,450
1975	920,130	398,570	521,560
1976	982,110	431,680	550,430
1977	1,019,050	445,960	573,090
1978	1,075,540	460,490	615,050

HEALTH INDICATORS

	Primary Care Physicians	Hospital Beds	Infant Deaths
1965	NA	8,471	1,787
1966	NA	8,749	1,624
1967	NA	8,734	1,488
1968	NA	9,089	1,408
1969	NA	9,510	1,380
1970	NA	9,899	1,407
1971	NA	10,031	1,218
1972	910	10,343	1,183
1973	NA	10,639	1,097
1974	946	11,003	983
1975	NA	11,362	913
1976	1,149	11,327	803
1977	NA	11,724	802
1978	1,257	11,876	803
1979	NA	11,694	760

INDUSTRY—NEW AND EXPANDED

Cumulative Total For The Years	Investment (in 000's) New	Investment (in 000's) Expanded	Employees New	Employees Expanded
1960 THRU 1964	$ 493,387	$ 420,610	50,328	39,502
1965 THRU 1969	617,379	779,266	50,270	45,627
1970 THRU 1974	862,382	1,156,142	47,639	31,841
1975 THRU 1979	2,545,025	2,006,067	42,076	44,714

AGRICULTURE

	Acres of Harvested & Idle Cropland	Estimated Farm Income
1965	5,063,825	$1,155,153,320
1966	5,102,667	1,234,409,300
1967	5,134,556	1,254,702,566
1968	5,090,900	1,225,878,222
1969	4,990,011	1,427,308,049
1970	4,973,600	1,326,963,000
1971	4,919,213	1,289,318,000
1972	4,782,126	1,433,972,000
1973	4,652,068	2,007,147,000
1974	4,477,196	2,185,257,000
1975	4,587,728	2,276,410,000
1976	4,706,517	2,384,448,000
1977	4,763,589	2,205,180,000
1978	NA	2,704,356,000

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS

	Aid to Families With Dependent Children	Aged	Disabled	Blind
1965-66	63,655	28,512	14,041	NA
1966-67	63,225	26,989	14,382	NA
1967-68	62,973	25,876	14,707	2,876
1968-69	64,160	24,859	15,139	2,828
1969-70	71,438	24,737	16,177	2,728
1970-71	80,965	23,730	17,176	2,629
1971-72	87,730	23,074	18,789	2,716
1972-73	83,599	20,868	19,391	2,535
1973-74	79,032	NA	NA	NA
1974-75	86,059	NA	NA	NA
1975-76	96,948	56,664	43,847	2,337
1976-77	103,139	52,899	44,885	2,180
1977-78	103,657	50,997	46,165	2,168
1978-79	101,424	49,054	47,579	2,036

CORRECTIONS

	Adult			Youth Services Schools Admissions
	Prison Admissions	Parole Population	Probation Population	
1968	5,782	1,219	11,052	1,002
1969	5,517	1,291	12,441	1,108
1970	5,826	1,466	12,802	1,066
1971	6,037	1,486	12,856	871
1972	5,632	1,673	13,437	835
1973	5,475	1,444	14,540	NA
1974	5,638	1,791	17,378	822
1975	6,000	2,176	19,195	577
1976	6,289	1,943	19,470	487
1977	5,844	1,763	NA	645
1978	5,090	2,367	NA	502
1979	5,509	2,158	19,955	434

HIGHWAY MILEAGE
(January, 1979)

PRIMARY	
RURAL	9,424.90
MUNICIPAL	1,085.01
TOTAL	10,509.91
SECONDARY	
RURAL	44,312.69
MUNICIPAL	1,461.05
TOTAL	45,773.74
PAVED	41,108.51
UNPAVED	15,175.14
TOTAL	56,283.65

MOTOR VEHICLES

	Auto & Truck Registrations	Accidents	Persons Injured	Persons Killed
1965	1,147,706	46,061	26,355	1,082
1966	1,218,085	51,256	27,525	1,128
1967	1,271,336	52,576	28,483	1,161
1968	1,343,224	55,446	28,398	1,243
1969	1,389,378	60,540	29,850	1,179
1970	1,433,121	62,303	30,084	1,142
1971	1,525,629	66,120	31,798	1,234
1972	1,635,845	63,782	33,945	1,315
1973	1,750,962	63,293	36,969	1,241
1974	1,812,325	61,306	34,431	1,093
1975	1,886,773	64,985	37,457	976
1976	2,015,726	70,481	39,310	989
1977	2,106,177	73,800	40,455	948
1978	2,216,368	77,120	41,990	988
1979	2,289,254	74,921	42,140	956

EDUCATION ENROLLMENT

School Years	Public Schools	Community Colleges (Fall)	Higher Education Undergraduate (Fall) Public	Private
1965-66	715,775	NA	NA	NA
1966-67	709,430	NA	22,627	12,680
1967-68	708,553	41,291	24,138	12,772
1968-69	701,885	60,587	25,204	12,425
1969-70	693,439	76,774	26,012	11,675
1970-71	685,413	95,343	28,456	11,822
1971-72	678,311	97,494	29,923	11,984
1972-73	669,008	108,217	31,107	11,684
1973-74	682,429	99,994	31,580	10,189
1974-75	683,606	117,025	33,122	10,975
1975-76	685,823	135,260	35,026	10,957
1976-77	692,222	118,275	35,221	11,525
1977-78	687,609	129,756	35,843	12,019
1978-79	677,678	138,055	35,649	12,357
1979-80	666,084	139,863	36,347	13,106

RETAIL SALES

	Total Gross Retail Sales	Gross Retail Sales for Selected Business Groups			
		Food	General Merchandise	Automotive	Building Materials
1965-66	$ 3,794,798,492	$ 920,609,083	$ 654,425,352	$ 752,094,554	$ 307,128,359
1966-67	4,018,637,286	1,003,457,159	711,998,288	795,642,748	298,045,917
1967-68	4,275,376,218	1,065,512,562	775,196,496	842,401,046	318,788,757
1968-69	4,711,366,572	1,155,722,766	850,274,140	926,649,240	364,091,363
1969-70	5,022,960,217	1,276,495,879	926,022,512	981,166,261	369,370,152
1970-71	5,434,465,990	1,404,730,986	1,006,453,024	1,029,602,024	407,890,996
1971-72	6,132,575,900	1,532,984,575	1,101,650,625	1,119,423,369	509,182,590
1972-73	6,958,592,138	1,721,819,117	1,215,941,892	1,255,771,355	608,395,453
1973-74	7,779,999,650	2,009,072,154	1,383,886,584	1,363,800,741	672,863,446
1974-75	8,156,551,084	2,275,341,062	1,466,007,835	1,467,154,664	624,639,385
1975-76	9,344,574,165	2,554,139,370	1,672,733,614	1,669,029,954	691,935,582
1976-77	10,265,336,961	2,735,868,773	1,802,817,906	1,845,160,145	793,567,066
1977-78	11,315,344,302	3,053,480,854	1,951,401,345	2,007,713,161	934,996,222
1978-79	12,689,443,558	3,475,904,460	2,201,705,986	2,233,378,799	1,066,065,131

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1965-66	$ 81,460,042.20
1966-67	87,198,147.50
1967-68	91,873,836.90
1968-69	101,537,208.80
1969-70	111,253,440.20
1970-71	120,683,945.70
1971-72	136,303,066.00
1972-73	152,876,104.40
1973-74	169,673,815.20
1974-75	176,959,475.00
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1976-77	218,475,885.90
1977-78	242,253,549.90
1978-79	268,792,814.20

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COUNTY	POPULATION April 1, 1980	PER CAPITA INCOME 1977	1978	1979	EMPLOYMENT - 1979 Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
North Carolina	5,874,429.	$5,936	$6,660	$7,382	2,382,100	824,200	1,557,900
ALAMANCE	99,136	6,045	6,707	7,465	42,010	19020	22,990
ALEXANDER	24,999	5,508	6,200	6,713	7,790	5400	2,390
ALLEGHANY	9,587	4,407	4,974	5,432	2,840	1360	1,480
ANSON	25,562	4,962	6,084	6,638	7,750	4300	3,450
ASHE	22,325	4,591	5,271	5,677	5,760	3090	2,670
AVERY	14,409	3,669	4,074	4,546	3,880	830	3,050
BEAUFORT	40,266	5,091	5,793	6,354	14,820	5200	9,620
BERTIE	21,024	4,679	5,168	5,741	5,240	2820	2,420
BLADEN	30,448	4,047	4,699	5,219	7,510	3540	3,970
BRUNSWICK	35,767	4,451	5,055	5,598	10,970	3320	7,650
BUNCOMBE	160,934	6,144	6,803	7,456	67,940	21040	46,900
BURKE	72,504	5,787	6,443	7,087	29,560	15920	13,640
CABARRUS	85,895	6,189	6,916	7,590	37,780	21860	15,920
CALDWELL	67,746	6,061	6,436	7,014	26,320	16570	9,750
CAMDEN	5,829	4,966	4,950	5,474	560	50	510
CARTERET	41,092	5,224	5,877	6,545	10,710	2070	8,640
CASWELL	20,705	4,329	4,841	5,439	2,510	970	1,540
CATAWBA	105,208	6,662	7,415	8,140	64,580	35140	29,440
CHATHAM	33,415	6,058	6,843	7,511	10,830	6200	4,630
CHEROKEE	18,933	3,900	4,321	4,824	5,910	2510	3,400
CHOWAN	12,558	5,165	5,596	6,326	4,240	1420	2,820
CLAY	6,619	4,343	4,584	5,021	940	340	600
CLEVELAND	83,435	5,744	6,442	7,111	33,550	16760	16,790
COLUMBUS	51,037	4,409	4,847	5,307	14,170	5670	8,500
CRAVEN	71,043	4,953	6,074	6,893	22,870	4290	18,580
CUMBERLAND	247,160	5,399	5,836	6,448	65,700	11720	53,980
CURRITUCK	11,089	4,503	4,805	5,279	1,240	150	1,090
DARE	13,377	5,717	6,115	6,559	4,700	140	4,560
DAVIDSON	113,162	6,129	6,866	7,633	40,740	24710	16,030
DAVIE	24,599	5,847	6,456	7,129	5,530	2880	2,650
DUPLIN	40,952	4,589	5,577	6,072	10,310	4320	5,990
DURHAM	152,785	6,969	7,761	8,694	79,940	17610	62,330
EDGECOMBE	55,988	5,701	6,428	6,961	19,120	6860	12,260
FORSYTH	243,683	7,639	8,389	9,286	126,010	43630	82,380
FRANKLIN	30,055	4,501	5,323	5,674	5,680	2280	3,400
GASTON	162,568	5,880	6,585	7,332	69,510	38510	31,000
GATES	8,875	5,599	6,367	6,824	1,050	140	910
GRAHAM	7,217	4,161	4,757	5,501	2,260	1040	1,220
GRANVILLE	33,995	4,739	5,503	6,204	10,840	3280	7,560
GREENE	16,117	4,740	6,682	7,037	2,350	790	1,560
GUILFORD	317,154	7,432	8,421	9,335	177,570	57510	120,060
HALIFAX	55,286	4,478	4,887	5,376	17,260	6530	10,730
HARNETT	59,570	4,660	5,160	5,679	14,190	4970	9,220
HAYWOOD	46,495	5,655	6,240	6,768	13,990	5610	8,380
HENDERSON	58,580	6,489	7,186	7,928	17,630	6020	11,610
HERTFORD	23,368	4,617	5,048	5,529	8,750	2660	6,090
HOKE	20,383	3,879	4,046	4,477	5,020	2680	2,340
HYDE	5,873	3,263	3,222	3,677	1,280	180	1,100
IREDELL	82,538	5,747	6,467	7,072	32,380	15500	16,880
JACKSON	25,811	4,365	4,990	5,449	7,380	1770	5,610

COUNTY	POPULATION April 1, 1980	PER CAPITA INCOME 1977	1978	1979	EMPLOYMENT - 1979 Total Employment	Manufacturing	Non-Manufacturing
JOHNSTON	70,599	5,289	6,036	6,726	20,290	9260	11,030
JONES	9,705	3,906	4,871	5,293	1,130	220	910
LEE	36,718	6,104	6,707	7,545	17,890	7530	10,360
LENOIR	59,819	5,531	6,266	6,782	25,740	9090	16,650
LINCOLN	42,372	5,759	6,503	7,124	12,960	7030	5,930
MCDOWELL	35,135	5,492	5,977	6,527	15,120	10300	4,820
MACON	20,178	4,669	5,144	5,607	5,010	1060	3,950
MADISON	16,827	3,901	4,318	4,700	3,360	960	2,400
MARTIN	25,948	5,280	5,876	6,284	9,420	4480	4,940
MECKLENBURG	404,270	7,726	8,658	9,737	234,070	41630	192,440
MITCHELL	14,428	4,835	5,302	6,098	4,750	1750	3,000
MONTGOMERY	22,469	5,569	6,376	6,899	9,410	6360	3,050
MOORE	50,505	6,223	7,011	7,752	17,150	5570	11,580
NASH	67,153	5,685	6,487	7,129	31,260	11850	19,410
NEW HANOVER	103,471	6,183	6,944	7,776	43,580	10480	33,100
NORTHAMPTON	22,584	4,105	4,462	4,894	4,470	1600	2,870
ONSLOW	112,784	5,112	5,472	5,981	21,270	2790	18,480
ORANGE	77,055	6,225	7,184	7,976	32,610	3570	29,040
PAMLICO	10,398	4,860	5,217	5,863	1,850	420	1,430
PASQUOTANK	28,462	5,166	5,528	6,297	10,080	1510	8,570
PENDER	22,215	4,314	4,753	5,224	3,640	710	2,930
PERQUIMANS	9,486	4,583	4,861	5,409	1,720	440	1,280
PERSON	29,164	5,182	5,832	6,250	10,150	4650	5,500
PITT	83,651	5,407	6,253	6,820	32,580	7450	25,130
POLK	12,984	6,576	7,418	8,229	3,290	1160	2,130
RANDOLPH	91,861	6,151	6,984	7,540	33,520	20860	12,660
RICHMOND	45,481	5,314	5,834	6,536	16,250	6680	9,570
ROBESON	101,577	4,163	4,872	5,370	30,340	12930	17,410
ROCKINGHAM	83,426	6,000	6,842	7,649	31,760	18080	13,680
ROWAN	99,186	5,866	6,519	7,210	35,700	15440	20,260
RUTHERFORD	53,787	5,370	5,886	6,569	19,300	10660	8,640
SAMPSON	49,687	4,495	5,453	5,870	13,220	5700	7,520
SCOTLAND	32,273	5,098	5,643	6,267	13,880	7510	6,370
STANLY	48,517	5,857	6,657	7,352	19,050	11060	7,990
STOKES	33,086	5,172	5,753	6,321	4,700	1740	2,960
SURRY	59,449	5,596	6,398	7,078	27,280	15480	11,800
SWAIN	10,283	4,500	5,145	5,705	4,550	1250	3,300
TRANSYLVANIA	23,417	5,497	6,163	6,791	8,520	4160	4,360
TYRRELL	3,975	3,691	4,093	4,535	630	200	430
UNION	70,380	5,760	6,831	7,637	21,420	8860	12,560
VANCE	36,748	5,564	5,924	6,804	15,460	6320	9,140
WAKE	300,833	7,137	8,010	9,062	152,250	22220	130,030
WARREN	16,232	3,670	4,055	4,507	3,270	1180	2,090
WASHINGTON	14,801	5,272	5,994	6,647	3,160	560	2,600
WATAUGA	31,678	4,779	5,506	6,028	10,560	1850	8,710
WAYNE	97,054	5,407	6,089	6,751	32,590	8900	23,690
WILKES	58,657	5,907	6,530	7,137	20,980	9460	11,520
WILSON	63,132	5,872	6,825	7,540	26,910	8190	18,720
YADKIN	28,439	5,992	6,772	7,290	5,360	1850	3,510
YANCEY	14,934	3,824	4,246	4,616	2,720	1150	1,570

COUNTY	TOTAL LABOR FORCE					EMPLOYED				
	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
North Carolina	2,501,000	2,554,000	2,616,000	2,675,000	2,692,000	2,284,000	2,395,000	2,461,000	2,559,000	2,563,000
ALAMANCE	48,870	48,050	45,050	44,960	45,810	44,220	43,740	41,390	42,940	43,480
ALEXANDER	11,510	11,680	12,390	12,860	12,500	10,330	11,010	11,650	12,140	11,940
ALLEGHANY	3,690	3,660	3,670	3,960	3,810	3,430	3,480	3,520	3,810	3,670
ANSON	10,980	11,410	11,490	11,980	11,940	9,840	10,680	10,740	11,470	11,310
ASHE	9,170	9,570	9,840	9,630	9,300	7,800	8,920	9,080	9,230	8,830
AVERY	5,530	5,280	5,230	5,340	5,840	4,700	4,720	4,770	5,050	5,470
BEAUFORT	18,090	18,310	18,640	19,660	19,010	16,940	17,190	17,590	18,830	18,100
BERTIE	8,420	8,660	9,230	8,420	8,540	7,690	7,890	8,400	7,910	8,030
BLADEN	11,840	11,890	12,060	12,180	12,680	10,170	10,790	10,850	11,540	11,890
BRUNSWICK	14,120	14,730	14,780	14,930	15,790	12,740	13,190	13,320	14,010	14,630
BUNCOMBE	69,230	69,100	72,210	73,490	73,950	62,470	65,090	68,080	70,840	70,760
BURKE	31,080	30,680	30,340	30,820	30,330	27,930	28,230	28,390	29,520	28,840
CABARRUS	36,150	36,750	37,930	38,270	38,050	33,440	35,040	36,420	37,110	36,830
CALDWELL	29,270	30,550	30,160	32,260	31,120	25,920	28,750	28,610	31,050	29,760
CAMDEN	2,250	2,310	2,380	2,360	2,390	2,100	2,210	2,240	2,250	2,260
CARTERET	13,550	14,130	14,590	15,340	14,920	12,490	13,040	13,400	14,390	13,940
CASWELL	7,220	7,340	7,060	7,300	7,390	6,590	6,790	6,620	6,920	6,980
CATAWBA	52,220	53,140	55,210	58,040	55,930	46,120	49,600	52,030	54,180	53,300
CHATHAM	14,120	14,720	15,170	15,610	15,430	13,100	14,030	14,530	14,880	14,910
CHEROKEE	6,210	6,200	6,310	6,260	6,570	5,370	5,670	5,670	5,900	6,110
CHOWAN	4,550	4,860	4,960	5,080	5,070	4,190	4,540	4,600	4,880	4,860
CLAY	2,080	2,080	2,070	2,100	2,220	1,820	1,920	1,920	2,000	2,070
CLEVELAND	38,050	39,090	39,130	39,520	39,670	33,840	36,400	36,550	37,590	37,610
COLUMBUS	22,050	22,660	23,110	21,960	21,230	19,600	20,840	21,310	20,830	19,830
CRAVEN	24,370	25,250	26,050	27,310	26,580	22,780	23,790	24,440	26,260	25,430
CUMBERLAND	65,070	66,780	65,870	64,760	68,070	60,490	62,140	60,790	61,300	63,540
CURRITUCK	2,720	2,790	2,890	4,650	4,710	2,550	2,610	2,700	4,470	4,480
DARE	4,510	5,050	5,560	6,180	6,360	4,260	4,770	5,240	5,920	6,020
DAVIDSON	51,060	51,480	53,210	53,860	54,520	46,550	48,500	50,330	52,110	52,390
DAVIE	9,770	9,980	10,330	9,940	9,610	8,950	9,410	9,710	9,540	9,260
DUPLIN	17,630	18,280	17,710	17,310	17,190	16,010	16,690	16,280	16,540	16,270
DURHAM	71,430	73,500	76,750	79,950	83,730	67,590	69,940	73,170	77,180	80,420
EDGECOMBE	26,910	27,410	28,280	28,120	27,870	24,280	25,440	25,670	26,480	25,990
FORSYTH	111,910	114,560	118,270	120,850	122,090	103,890	108,220	112,320	116,290	116,920
FRANKLIN	12,230	12,870	12,750	12,260	11,630	10,880	11,820	11,830	11,650	10,750
GASTON	81,080	79,020	81,750	85,070	86,390	72,150	74,110	77,720	81,850	82,780
GATES	2,890	2,870	2,930	2,970	2,870	2,770	2,760	2,800	2,870	2,760
GRAHAM	2,860	3,090	3,220	3,260	3,890	2,530	2,730	2,900	3,010	3,580
GRANVILLE	15,280	15,660	15,630	15,740	15,220	14,080	14,300	14,310	14,860	14,310
GREENE	7,060	7,540	7,620	7,830	7,840	6,560	7,020	7,080	7,390	7,430
GUILFORD	148,580	152,390	158,060	161,400	162,740	138,310	144,070	149,530	154,810	155,640
HALIFAX	21,080	22,430	22,380	22,330	21,870	18,720	20,320	20,170	20,920	20,300
HARNETT	23,150	24,530	25,020	25,270	23,810	21,370	23,020	23,490	23,790	22,680
HAYWOOD	18,020	17,960	18,540	18,570	17,950	16,080	17,060	17,520	17,920	17,070
HENDERSON	20,290	21,110	21,630	23,180	23,610	18,740	20,260	20,670	22,440	22,830
HERTFORD	10,360	11,080	11,690	11,230	11,430	9,610	10,430	10,830	10,560	10,620
HOKE	7,830	7,960	8,440	7,000	6,930	6,900	7,300	7,570	6,350	6,430
HYDE	2,260	2,300	2,320	2,580	2,680	2,120	2,140	2,100	2,400	2,520
IREDELL	36,970	37,450	37,880	38,140	37,540	33,150	34,900	35,330	36,170	35,760
JACKSON	11,310	11,860	11,910	12,410	11,540	10,370	11,180	11,260	11,960	11,010

COUNTY	TOTAL LABOR FORCE 1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	EMPLOYED 1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
JOHNSTON	29,970	30,680	30,880	32,430	32,740	27,330	28,580	29,120	30,870	31,040
JONES	3,120	3,150	3,160	3,300	3,290	2,820	2,920	2,900	3,140	3,090
LEE	16,130	16,600	17,590	17,910	18,170	14,170	15,640	16,530	17,040	17,300
LENOIR	27,910	29,630	29,900	28,800	28,160	25,980	27,710	27,700	27,200	26,710
LINCOLN	17,980	17,940	18,420	19,300	18,980	15,490	16,560	17,230	18,180	17,900
MCDOWELL	17,300	17,970	18,690	18,550	18,540	15,650	16,980	17,870	17,790	17,710
MACON	6,520	6,720	7,280	7,580	7,630	5,840	6,320	6,860	7,250	7,280
MADISON	7,670	7,640	7,960	8,120	8,180	6,960	7,250	7,580	7,890	7,880
MARTIN	11,710	11,930	11,920	11,620	11,300	10,540	10,810	10,800	10,950	10,580
MECKLENBURG	191,590	193,620	200,810	208,600	212,580	177,910	182,770	191,660	201,830	204,130
MITCHELL	5,970	6,000	6,070	6,210	6,100	5,400	5,580	5,690	5,930	5,820
MONTGOMERY	9,450	10,150	10,340	10,660	10,390	8,590	9,510	9,910	10,070	9,990
MOORE	19,990	20,900	21,430	22,950	22,210	17,570	19,610	20,280	21,930	21,170
NASH	32,080	32,830	33,130	33,680	33,270	29,480	30,900	31,180	32,160	31,560
NEW HANOVER	41,550	42,440	43,270	44,030	46,490	38,080	39,410	39,800	41,870	43,690
NORTHAMPTON	8,150	8,470	8,420	8,110	8,000	7,500	7,910	7,730	7,660	7,520
ONSLOW	24,430	25,100	25,110	26,700	26,310	22,710	23,470	23,320	25,270	24,830
ORANGE	33,780	34,910	36,520	38,030	39,660	32,310	33,430	34,980	36,890	38,440
PAMLICO	3,750	3,860	4,040	4,140	3,980	3,380	3,520	3,620	3,890	3,770
PASQUOTANK	11,390	11,720	11,960	11,850	12,020	10,590	11,150	11,300	11,350	11,410
PENDER	7,180	7,690	8,090	8,440	8,940	6,230	7,000	7,380	7,990	8,380
PERQUIMANS	3,250	3,320	3,060	3,410	3,410	3,050	3,140	2,890	3,270	3,280
PERSON	13,050	13,020	13,350	13,580	14,600	10,990	11,970	12,410	12,860	13,480
PITT	38,570	40,850	41,660	42,370	43,010	35,910	38,430	38,760	40,470	40,690
POLK	5,420	5,670	5,620	5,340	5,290	5,080	5,490	5,360	5,140	5,100
RANDOLPH	42,350	42,410	43,390	44,300	44,910	38,360	39,960	41,470	42,940	43,170
RICHMOND	17,670	18,020	18,930	19,270	19,440	15,270	16,800	17,690	18,430	18,330
ROBESON	38,980	39,320	40,490	41,930	42,220	32,510	35,030	36,520	39,170	38,710
ROCKINGHAM	36,550	36,800	37,740	38,530	38,690	32,840	33,790	35,360	36,660	36,520
ROWAN	42,540	43,150	44,720	45,160	44,780	39,230	41,110	42,730	43,530	43,200
RUTHERFORD	24,110	24,310	24,700	25,350	25,140	21,570	22,880	23,290	24,140	24,020
SAMPSON	21,510	22,960	23,580	24,400	23,710	19,670	21,510	22,090	23,290	22,610
SCOTLAND	13,230	13,220	13,740	14,230	13,860	11,990	12,320	12,890	13,630	13,070
STANLY	21,330	21,560	21,940	22,270	21,760	19,330	20,480	20,910	21,230	20,890
STOKES	14,840	15,130	15,680	16,090	16,280	13,590	14,150	14,690	15,210	15,290
SURRY	25,580	27,130	27,330	27,630	27,460	22,480	25,090	25,510	26,190	25,820
SWAIN	4,200	4,210	4,130	4,600	4,520	3,590	3,790	3,730	4,290	4,200
TRANSYLVANIA	9,180	9,910	10,050	10,560	9,860	8,440	9,460	9,500	10,100	9,430
TYRRELL	1,840	1,810	1,710	1,510	1,390	1,640	1,640	1,510	1,360	1,230
UNION	32,690	32,660	34,030	35,450	35,790	30,200	31,020	32,530	34,260	34,640
VANCE	16,920	16,820	16,950	16,670	17,120	15,030	15,650	15,750	15,770	15,960
WAKE	136,150	139,340	145,190	152,020	158,890	129,290	133,780	139,950	147,630	153,830
WARREN	5,560	5,470	5,160	5,510	5,940	4,750	4,940	4,750	5,120	5,520
WASHINGTON	6,780	6,810	6,870	6,830	6,620	6,270	6,430	6,420	6,510	6,290
WATAUGA	12,870	13,440	14,680	14,970	13,770	11,590	12,610	14,000	14,370	13,100
WAYNE	35,440	36,320	36,270	36,660	37,750	32,420	33,970	33,910	35,120	35,660
WILKES	26,910	27,810	28,550	28,560	28,510	24,660	26,440	27,280	27,440	27,300
WILSON	30,110	30,970	31,890	31,570	31,740	27,800	29,080	29,470	29,660	29,500
YADKIN	13,250	13,560	13,980	14,410	14,600	12,230	12,740	13,220	13,690	13,770
YANCEY	5,650	5,950	5,920	6,320	5,990	5,140	5,550	5,530	6,060	5,640

COUNTY	UNEMPLOYED					RATE OF UNEMPLOYMENT				
	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979
North Carolina	217,000	159,000	155,000	116,000	129,000	8.7%	6.2%	5.9%	4.3%	4.8%
ALAMANCE	4,650	4,310	3,660	2,020	2,330	9.5	9.0	8.1	4.5	5.1
ALEXANDER	1,180	670	740	720	560	10.3	5.7	6.0	5.6	4.5
ALLEGHANY	260	180	150	150	140	7.0	4.9	4.1	3.8	3.7
ANSON	1,140	730	750	510	630	10.4	6.4	6.5	4.3	5.3
ASHE	1,370	650	760	400	470	14.9	6.8	7.7	4.2	5.1
AVERY	830	560	460	290	370	15.0	10.6	8.8	5.4	6.3
BEAUFORT	1,150	1,120	1,050	830	910	6.4	6.1	5.6	4.2	4.8
BERTIE	730	770	830	510	510	8.7	8.9	9.0	6.1	6.0
BLADEN	1,670	1,100	1,210	640	790	14.1	9.3	10.0	5.3	6.2
BRUNSWICK	1,380	1,540	1,460	920	1,160	9.8	10.5	9.9	6.2	7.3
BUNCOMBE	6,760	4,010	4,130	2,650	3,190	9.8	5.8	5.7	3.6	4.3
BURKE	3,150	2,450	1,950	1,300	1,490	10.1	8.0	6.4	4.2	4.9
CABARRUS	2,710	1,710	1,510	1,160	1,220	7.5	4.7	4.0	3.0	3.2
CALDWELL	3,350	1,800	1,550	1,210	1,360	11.4	5.9	5.1	3.8	4.4
CAMDEN	150	100	140	110	130	6.7	4.3	5.9	4.7	5.4
CARTERET	1,060	1,090	1,190	950	980	7.8	7.7	8.2	6.2	6.6
CASWELL	630	550	440	380	410	8.7	7.5	6.2	5.2	5.5
CATAWBA	6,100	3,540	3,180	3,860	2,630	11.7	6.7	5.8	6.7	4.7
CHATHAM	1,020	690	640	730	520	7.2	4.7	4.2	4.7	3.4
CHEROKEE	840	530	640	360	460	13.5	8.5	10.1	5.8	7.0
CHOWAN	360	320	360	200	210	7.9	6.6	7.3	3.9	4.1
CLAY	260	160	150	100	150	12.5	7.7	7.2	4.8	6.8
CLEVELAND	4,210	2,690	2,580	1,930	2,060	11.1	6.9	6.6	4.9	5.2
COLUMBUS	2,450	1,820	1,800	1,130	1,400	11.1	8.0	7.8	5.1	6.6
CRAVEN	1,590	1,460	1,610	1,050	1,150	6.5	5.8	6.2	3.8	4.3
CUMBERLAND	4,580	4,640	5,080	3,460	4,530	7.0	6.9	7.7	5.3	6.7
CURRITUCK	170	180	190	180	230	6.3	6.5	6.6	3.9	4.9
DARE	250	280	320	260	340	5.5	5.5	5.8	4.2	5.3
DAVIDSON	4,510	2,980	2,880	1,750	2,130	8.8	5.8	5.4	3.2	3.9
DAVIE	820	570	620	400	350	8.4	5.7	6.0	4.0	3.6
DUPLIN	1,620	1,590	1,430	770	920	9.2	8.7	8.1	4.4	5.4
DURHAM	3,840	3,560	3,580	2,770	3,310	5.4	4.8	4.7	3.5	4.0
EDGECOMBE	2,630	1,970	2,610	1,640	1,880	9.8	7.2	9.2	5.8	6.7
FORSYTH	8,020	6,340	5,950	4,560	5,170	7.2	5.5	5.0	3.8	4.2
FRANKLIN	1,350	1,050	920	610	880	11.0	8.2	7.2	5.0	7.6
GASTON	8,930	4,910	4,030	3,220	3,610	11.0	6.2	4.9	3.8	4.2
GATES	120	110	130	100	110	4.2	3.8	4.4	3.4	3.8
GRAHAM	330	360	320	250	310	11.5	11.7	9.9	7.7	8.0
GRANVILLE	1,200	1,360	1,320	880	910	7.8	8.7	8.4	5.6	6.0
GREENE	500	520	540	440	410	7.1	6.9	7.1	5.6	5.2
GUILFORD	10,270	8,320	8,530	6,590	7,100	6.9	5.5	5.4	4.1	4.4
HALIFAX	2,360	2,110	2,210	1,410	1,570	11.2	9.4	9.9	6.3	7.2
HARNETT	1,780	1,510	1,530	1,480	1,130	7.7	6.2	6.1	5.9	4.7
HAYWOOD	1,940	900	1,020	650	880	10.8	5.0	5.5	3.5	4.9
HENDERSON	1,550	850	960	740	780	7.6	4.0	4.4	3.2	3.3
HERTFORD	750	650	860	670	810	7.2	5.9	7.4	6.0	7.1
HOKE	930	660	870	650	500	11.9	8.3	10.3	9.3	7.2
HYDE	140	160	220	180	160	6.2	7.0	9.5	7.0	6.0
IREDELL	3,820	2,550	2,550	1,970	1,780	10.3	6.8	6.7	5.2	4.7
JACKSON	940	680	650	450	530	8.3	5.7	5.5	3.6	4.6

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JACKSON	940	680	650	450	530					
JOHNSTON	2,640	2,100	1,760	1,560	1,700	8.8	6.8	5.7	4.8	5.2
JONES	300	230	260	160	200	9.6	7.3	8.2	4.8	6.1
LEE	1,960	960	1,060	870	870	12.2	5.8	6.0	4.9	4.8
LENOIR	1,930	1,920	2,200	1,600	1,450	6.9	6.5	7.4	5.6	5.1
LINCOLN	2,490	1,380	1,190	1,120	1,080	13.8	7.7	6.5	5.8	5.7
MCDOWELL	1,650	990	820	760	830	9.5	5.5	4.4	4.1	4.5
MACON	680	400	420	330	350	10.4	6.0	5.8	4.4	4.6
MADISON	710	390	380	230	300	9.3	5.1	4.8	2.8	3.7
MARTIN	1,170	1,120	1,120	670	720	9.9	9.4	9.4	5.8	6.4
MECKLENBURG	13,680	10,850	9,150	6,770	8,450	7.1	5.6	4.6	3.2	4.0
MITCHELL	570	420	380	280	280	9.5	7.0	6.3	4.5	4.6
MONTGOMERY	860	640	430	590	400	9.1	6.3	4.2	5.5	3.8
MOORE	2,420	1,290	1,150	1,020	1,040	12.1	6.2	5.4	4.4	4.7
NASH	2,600	1,930	1,950	1,520	1,710	8.1	5.9	5.9	4.5	5.1
NEW HANOVER	3,470	3,030	3,470	2,160	2,800	8.4	7.1	8.0	4.9	6.0
NORTHAMPTON	650	560	690	450	480	8.0	6.6	8.2	5.5	6.0
ONSLOW	1,720	1,630	1,790	1,430	1,480	7.0	6.5	7.1	5.4	5.6
ORANGE	1,470	1,480	1,540	1,140	1,220	4.4	4.2	4.2	3.0	3.1
PAMLICO	370	340	420	250	210	9.9	8.8	10.4	6.0	5.3
PASQUOTANK	800	570	660	500	610	7.0	4.9	5.5	4.2	5.1
PENDER	950	690	710	450	560	13.2	9.0	8.8	5.3	6.3
PERQUIMANS	200	180	170	140	130	6.2	5.4	5.6	4.1	3.8
PERSON	2,060	1,050	940	720	1,120	15.8	8.1	7.0	5.3	7.7
PITT	2,660	2,420	2,900	1,900	2,320	6.9	5.9	7.0	4.5	5.4
POLK	340	180	260	200	190	6.3	3.2	4.6	3.7	3.6
RANDOLPH	3,990	2,450	1,920	1,360	1,740	9.4	5.8	4.4	3.1	3.9
RICHMOND	2,400	1,220	1,240	840	1,110	13.6	6.8	6.6	4.4	5.7
ROBESON	6,470	4,290	3,970	2,760	3,510	16.6	10.9	9.8	6.6	8.3
ROCKINGHAM	3,710	3,010	2,380	1,870	2,170	10.2	8.2	6.3	4.9	5.6
ROWAN	3,310	2,040	1,990	1,630	1,580	7.8	4.7	4.4	3.6	3.5
RUTHERFORD	2,540	1,430	1,410	1,210	1,120	10.5	5.9	5.7	4.8	4.5
SAMPSON	1,840	1,450	1,490	1,110	1,100	8.6	6.3	6.3	4.5	4.6
SCOTLAND	1,240	900	850	600	790	9.4	6.8	6.2	4.2	5.7
STANLY	2,000	1,080	1,030	1,040	870	9.4	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.0
STOKES	1,250	980	990	880	990	8.4	6.5	6.3	5.5	6.1
SURRY	3,100	2,040	1,820	1,440	1,640	12.1	7.5	6.7	5.2	6.0
SWAIN	610	420	400	310	320	14.5	10.0	9.7	6.7	7.1
TRANSYLVANIA	740	450	550	460	430	8.1	4.5	5.5	4.4	4.4
TYRRELL	200	170	200	150	160	10.9	9.4	11.7	9.9	11.5
UNION	2,490	1,640	1,500	1,190	1,150	7.6	5.0	4.4	3.4	3.2
VANCE	1,890	1,170	1,200	900	1,160	11.2	7.0	7.1	5.4	6.8
WAKE	6,860	5,560	5,240	4,390	5,060	5.0	4.0	3.6	2.9	3.2
WARREN	810	530	410	390	420	14.6	9.7	7.9	7.1	7.1
WASHINGTON	510	380	450	320	330	7.5	5.6	6.6	4.7	5.0
WATAUGA	1,280	830	680	600	670	9.9	6.2	4.6	4.0	4.9
WAYNE	3,020	2,350	2,360	1,540	2,090	8.5	6.5	6.5	4.2	5.5
WILKES	2,250	1,370	1,270	1,120	1,210	8.4	4.9	4.4	3.9	4.2
WILSON	2,310	1,890	2,420	1,910	2,240	7.7	6.1	7.6	6.1	7.1
YADKIN	1,020	820	760	720	830	7.7	6.0	5.4	5.0	5.7
YANCEY	510	400	390	260	350	9.0	6.7	6.6	4.1	5.8

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